Caldwell endorsed by Local 368 for Oahu mayor

Former Hawaii Gov. Ben Cayetano vows to kill Oahu’s mass transit project if elected mayor

Local 368 ‘all-in’ for Kirk Caldwell

Local 368 field representatives pose with Honolulu mayoral candidate, Kirk Caldwell during an afternoon of sign waving. Caldwell is one of three candidates seeking the office of Mayor for the island of Oahu. Caldwell supports Oahu’s mass transit project, as well as two major housing developments being proposed, Koa Ridge and Ho’opili. Pictured with Caldwell from left to right are: Leuma Leatumauga, Business Manager/Secretary-Treasurer Peter Ganaban, Joby North, Toni Figueroa and Mark Magusara.

Mazie Hirono running strong for U.S. Senate seat

With 2012 shaping up to be one of the most important election years for organized labor, one key race is the U.S. Senate race.

Mazie Hirono received an early endorsement by Local 368. “Mazie is a strong supporter of unions and Hawaii’s working men and women,” said Local 368 Business Manager/Secretary-Treasurer Peter Ganaban. Hirono is serving her third term as a member of the U.S. House of Representatives, since first being elected in 2006. She decided to run for U.S. Senate, following U.S. Senator Dan Akaka’s announcement of his retirement this year.

A daughter of a Japanese immigrant, she was just seven-years-old when her mother decided to leave her husband and an abusive marriage. Her mother took her and an older brother and fled Japan for a better life in Hawaii.

Arriving in Hawaii with just a suitcase holding their possessions, life was hard for many years. They lived in a boarding house, sleeping sideways on a single, shared bed. Her mother found work at a Japanese language newspaper, but the pay was not steady. Mazie recalls breaking into her piggy bank for dimes to help put food on the table during those early years.

It was those hard early years that helped shaped Mazie into the person she is today, a champion for the less privileged.

“It’s so important for all members to realize that politics really does affect everyone’s paycheck,” said Ganaban. “We’ve seen how the Republicans and the Tea Partiers are trying to dismantle unions all across America, in states like Wisconsin and Ohio. It’s open season on unions in places like these. We are proud to be one of the first unions to stand behind Mazie.”
Your union has identified the two most important races in the Primary Elections as being the race for Honolulu Mayor and the U.S. Senate race. In the race for Honolulu Mayor, your union has backed Kirk Caldwell as our candidate. Kirk has proven to be a true friend to working men and women.

Thanks to Kirk’s efforts, our $5 billion rail project will be built primarily with local, unionized labor, thanks to a Project Labor Agreement (PLA) negotiated between the various construction unions and the city. Kirk personally came to us to see if we could reopen negotiations after the first attempt to reach a PLA stalled. I seriously doubt we would have been able to reach an agreement with the city without Kirk’s efforts.

Unfortunately, our former governor, Ben Cayetano, seems to think this project is a waste of money and has vowed to kill the project.

In fact, our former governor has shown an anti-development streak, testifying against projects such as Koa Ridge and Ho’opili, which will mean hundreds of jobs for our brothers and sisters on the out-of-work list.

In the U.S. Senate race, our candidate Mazie Hirono, is a strong advocate of families, especially for women and children. Her opponent, Ed Case, has shown himself to be a person more in line with the interests of big business and conservatives.

My brothers and sisters, I truly hope that you have taken the time to register to vote. Come August 11th, let’s make our voices heard loud and clear via the ballot box.

Windmills on my mind

Laborers with Goodfellow Bros., Inc. put together a cast iron footing form for one of the 30 windmills being constructed at developer First Wind’s Kawailoa job site. When completed, the wind energy farm will include thirty 3.3 megawatt wind turbine generators and produce up to 69 megawatts of energy, enough to power about 14,500 homes.

RMT Energy Inc. is the general contractor, with Goodfellow serving as one of the subcontractors. Working on the Goodfellow Bros. crew are Laborers Eleazar Ancheta, Mark Hayes, Derek Kong, Melvin Matsushima, Jason Maxwell, Eugene Moniz, Frank Montez, III and David Weeks.

(Photograph by: Leuma Leatumauga)

Leatumauga is Local 368’s newest field representative

It’s pretty hard to miss Local 368’s newest field representative. Standing over 6-feet-tall, Leuma Leatumauga is built like a defensive end.

Despite his intimidating appearance, Leatumauga is an easy person to talk to. He is also a rarity, having spent all but two weeks of his 22 year career with Hawaiian Dredging Construction Co., with the last nine of them as their Laborer Foreman.

Leatumauga first started his career as a Landscape Laborer at Ko Olina back in 1989. After spending just two weeks on the job as a landscaper, he was sent to Hawaiian Dredging. In 2003, he became one of their Laborer Foreman, a position he held until being hired as Local 368’s newest field representative.

As the newest member to the field representative team, Leatumauga has a new appreciation for the responsibilities of the job.

“I used to think the agents just rode around in their cars all day and had more responsibilities in the field,” he said. “Now that I’m in the office, oh my goodness! I now see the many responsibilities of a field representative and what they really do ‘behind the scenes.’ I didn’t know as a field representative that we had this much responsibilities.”

As a Laborer Foreman, it was just being responsible for the time sheets and talking to the men every morning to give them the day’s assignments, he explained. As a field representative, Leatumauga said he has to study the many contracts as well as get to know the Laborers’ Constitutions more thoroughly.

Still it is an exciting transition and opportunity for him. “I was very humbled and at the same time, excited,” he said. “Even as a foreman, you want to help the members as best as we can. I told him I’m not perfect, but I’m going to try my best to help out the members as best as I can.”

Leuma Leatumauga gets sworn-in as Local 368’s sergeant-at-arms by President Alfonso Oliver at the May Membership meeting. Leatumauga is Local 368’s newest field representative and is a long-time Hawaiian Dredging Laborer Foreman.
Abercrombie issues PLA directive for 5 projects

Gov. Neil Abercrombie recently used an administration directive that five state projects will be built union, under a Project Labor Agreement (PLA). The governor issued the directive for the five state projects to ensure that they will be built efficiently and on time.

“We were hoping for a declaration for all state projects to be built under Project Labor Agreements,” said Lo
cal 368 Business Manager/Secretary-
Treasurer Peter Ganaban. “However, these five projects will serve as test projects to see if PLA projects can be completed on time and on budget.”

“A Project Labor Agreement provides a mechanism for collaboration on certain projects to prevent poten
tial conflicts among labor unions,” Abercrombie said. “Our local econo
my has shown signs of improvement, but we cannot afford to lose this mo
mentum by prolonging projects from getting done in a timely manner.”

The five state projects chosen to be under the PLA are:

• Maui Regional Public Safety Complex: Total project estimat
ed cost is $225 million. It is the construction of a new jail facil
ity in Puunene, Maui that will include adult male and female secure housing and support fa
cilities, security support facili
ties and administrative offices. The design of this complex will meet LEED standards.

• Honolulu International Airport Mauka Concourse Project: Esti
mated project cost is $213 mil
lion. It will include extending the interisland terminal with the addition of six wide body and 11 narrow body gates, ad
tional concessionaire space, airline lounge, and restrooms.

• University of Hawai’i – Hilo College of Pharmacy: This $38 million project will include classrooms for new pharma
cists and research labs for the discovery and synthesis of new drug entities. A Honolulu
based firm, WCIT, is the lead architect and has completed more than half of the design.

• Princess Victoria Kamamalu Building: Total project esti
mated cost is $32.9 million. It includes major renovation of the existing building; asbestos removal; and infrastructure, electrical and plumbing re
pairs. The scope of work also includes design and construc
tion that meets the U.S. Green Building Council’s Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) standards.

• Eva Elementary School: This $11 million project is the con
struction of an eight-classroom building to meet growth and enrollment projections in the community. Plans include six
general classrooms, a self-con
tained special education class
room, and a computer resource
room.

“We hope that members who work
on these projects will do their best to represent themselves and Local 368 in the best possible light,” said Gana
ban. “If these five test projects prove that a unionized workforce can com
plete a project on time and on bud
get, we could see the very real possi
bility of all state projects being built
with Project Labor Agreements. This
would mean increased work oppor
tunities for our brothers and sisters
still on the out-of-work list.”

Big Island Field Representative Pete Lindsey retires

Big Island Field Representative Pete Lindsey and his trademark doo-rag retired after a long career with Lo
cal 368.

After a career spanning over 30 years with Local 368, Big Island Field Representative Pete Lindsey has hung up his work boots to enjoy the good life of retirement.

“I’m enjoying my retirement by going spear fishing, crabbing, pick
ing epihi and catching up on home repairs,” said Lindsey.

He also enjoys babysitting his three grandchildren during the week. “I get a kick out of taking care of the youngest one, doing things like toilet training, which I never did, because I was always working.”

Lindsey began his career with Lo
cal 368 as a Laborer 2, working for Cawdrey/Mars Construction Co. on the Big Island. His first project was the Kona Coffee Villa Condo Project, completed in 1981.

He worked on various Kona re
sorts during the construction boom of the 80’s, such as the Mauna Kea Condos, Mauna Lani Bay Hotel and the Hyatt Regency Waikoloa.

In December of 1989, he was asked to join the staff of Local 368 as a union organizer. He served in that position until 1992.

Following his brief career as an organizer, Lindsey went back to the field working for various companies such as Isomoto Contracting Co., Ltd.; Group Builders, Inc. and Oahu Construction Co., Ltd.

He also served as a part-time in
structor for the Hawaii Laborers’ Training Program from 1994 to 2005, teaching the Water, Sewer & Drain Pipe Reading class.

Lindsey also served as the union’s auditor from August 1997 to January 2007, when Local 368 was placed un
der trusteeship by LIUNA.

While under trusteeship, Lindsey was asked to help Local 368’s mem
bership by becoming a field repre
sentative. He served as a field repre
sentative from March of 2007 to his retirement at the end of February of this year.

Lindsey also served as a member of Local 368’s executive board from November of 2008 to April 2011 and as the sergeant-at-arms from April 2011 to February 2012.

Local 368 to award scholarships to 2013 graduates of members

Laborers’ Education and Events Fund will host golf tournament at Waikele Country Club to fund at least four $1,500 scholarships

Beginning next year, graduating high school students of members in good standing will be able to apply for one of at least four $1,500 scholar
ships, through Local 368’s charita
table arm, the Laborers’ Education and Events Fund.

“We are excited and happy to be able to offer this benefit to our mem
bers and their children, which is a first for Local 368,” said Honorary Tournament Chairman and Local 368 Business Manager/Secretary-
Treasurer Peter Ganaban. “I’m sure it’s every parent’s dream to have their children continue their educata
tion to get better opportunities of a secure future. I’m proud we can be a part in making that dream a reality.”

Money for the scholarships will be raised through a golf tournament the fund will be hosting at the Waikele Country Club on August 24, 2012.

Members and retirees of Local 368 who are interested in playing in the golf tournament may enter into a drawing to play for free on one of two team slots purchased by Local 368 for the membership.

One team has been designated for Oahu members and the other for neighbor island members.

To enter into the drawing, either plan on attending the Oahu Mem
bership Meeting on July 25, 2012 to personally submit your name or call Local 368 by 4:30 p.m., July 25th to submit your name for the drawing.

IMPORTANT: If you are working, you will need to make your own ar
rangements with your employer to get the day off on August 24, 2012. NO LOST TIME PAY WILL BE IS
SURED. Neighbor island members will be responsible for their own air fare, accommodations and ground transportation to and from the tour
ament. Only participation in the tournament is complimentary.

Applications for Local 368 scholar
ships will be made available in January 2013 and also on Local 368’s website (www.local368.org). The scholarships will also be available to students of members in good stand
ning already enrolled in an accredited institution of higher education and also members in good standing who are accepted or already enrolled in an accredited institution of higher education.

“So far we have about half the team slots sold,” said Tournament Chairman Rich Nishie. “Financially, we are in pretty good shape. We should have a successful and inter
esting tournament for everyone par
ticipating.”

Format for the tournament will be a three-person scramble with everyone contributing at least four drives. To speed up play, there will be a maximum of two putts when on the green and no mulligans will be offered.
The following is a statewide listing of political candidates Local 368 is endorsing in the Primary Election (August 11, 2012). For districts not listed, Local 368 is not making any recommendations at this time.

**U.S. Senator**
- Mazie Hirono

**U.S. Representative (Congressional Dist. 1)**
- Colleen Hanabusa

**U.S. Representative (Congressional Dist. 2)**
- Mufi Hannemann

**City & County of Honolulu**

- **Mayor** Kirk Caldwell
- **Prosecuting Attorney** Keith Kaneshiro
- **City Council**
  - (District 1) Alex Santiago
  - (District 3) Ikaika Anderson
  - (District 7) Joey Manahan
  - (District 9) Ron Menor

**County of Maui**

- **Mayor** Billy Kenoi
- **Prosecuting Attorney** Lincoln Ashida

**Big Island County Council**

- (District 1) Valerie Pointdexter
- (District 2) J. Yoshimoto
- (District 3) Dennis (Fresh) Onishi
- (District 4) Fred Blas
- (District 5) Zendo Kern
- (District 6) Maile (Medeiros) David
- (District 7) Dru Mamo Kanuha
- (District 8) Karen Eoff
- (District 9) Oliver (Sonny) Shimaoka

**County of Hawaii**

- **Mayor** Don Couch
- **Prosecuting Attorney** Mike White

**County of Kauai**

- **Mayor** Mel Rapozo
- **Prosecuting Attorney** Kalei Akaka

**State Senator**

- (District 1) Gilbert Kahele
- (District 2) Bob Herkes
- (District 3) Josh Green
- (District 4) Malama Solomon
- (District 5) Shan Tsutsui
- (District 6) Roz Baker
- (District 7) J. Kalani English
- (District 8) Joe Souki

**State Representative**

- (District 1) Mark Nakashima
- (District 2) Cliff Tsuji
- (District 3) Richard Onishi
- (District 4) Faye Hanohano
- (District 5) Denny Coffman
- (District 6) kalei Akaka
- (District 7) Cindy Evans
- (District 8) Joe Souki
- (District 9) Gil Keith-Agaran
- (District 10) Angus McKelvey
- (District 11) Colin Hanlon
- (District 12) Kyle Yamashita
- (District 13) Mele Carroll
- (District 14) Derek Kawakami
- (District 15) James Kusane Tokioka
- (District 16) Daynette (Dee) Morikawa
- (District 17) Clarence Nishihara
- (District 18) Michelle Kidani
- (District 19) Will Espero
- (District 20) Mike Gabbard
- (District 21) Donovan Dela Cruz
- (District 22) Jill Tokuda
- (District 23) Pohai Ryan

**State Senate (cont’d)**

- (District 17) Clarence Nishihara
- (District 18) Michelle Kidani
- (District 19) Will Espero
- (District 20) Mike Gabbard
- (District 21) Donovan Dela Cruz
- (District 22) Jill Tokuda
- (District 23) Pohai Ryan

**State Rep. (cont’d)**

- (District 23) Isaac Choy
- (District 25) Sylvia Luke
- (District 26) Scott Saiki
- (District 27) Takashi Ohno
- (District 28) John Mizuno
- (District 29) Karl Rhoads
- (District 31) Lynn Gutierrez
- (District 32) Linda Ichiyama
- (District 33) K. Mark Takai
- (District 34) Gregg Takayama
- (District 35) Roy Takumi
- (District 36) Marilyn Lee
- (District 37) Ryan Yamane
- (District 38) Henry Aquino
- (District 39) Ty Cullen
- (District 42) Sharon Har
- (District 43) Karen Awana
- (District 44) Jo Jordan
- (District 45) Jake Bradshaw
- (District 46) Marcus Oshiro
- (District 48) Pono Chong
- (District 49) Ken Ito

**Office of Hawaiian Affairs (OHA)**

- Hawaii Island Trustee Robert Lindsay
- Kauai Island Trustee Kanani Kagawa Fu
- Molokai Island Trustee Collette (Püpüi) Machado
- OHA Trustee-at-Large Haunani Apoliona
Hawaii Laborer

Local 368 flexes its political muscle in 2012

As mandated by the 2011 International Convention, Local 368 stepped-up its political activities for 2012, with twice a week sign-holding for Kirk Caldwell and Mazie Hirono, both of whom are facing important races; attending public hearings and rallies for major projects such as Ko‘a Ridge, Ho‘opili and the rail project.

“Local 368 really stepped-up our lobbying and political action this year,” said Business Manager/Secretary-Treasurer Peter Ganaban. “With this recession and politicians stripping-away many of the gains unions have made on the mainland, we must be diligent and proactive to make sure our member’s rights and benefits are preserved and maintained.”

Local 368 also was involved in supporting Honolulu’s rail project, participating in rallies sponsored by the pro-rail group ‘Go, Rail, Go’. Business Manager/Secretary-Treasurer Peter Ganaban delivers a passionate speech at Kapolei Hale during a rally.

Local 368 field representatives and members helped get D.R. Horton’s Ho‘opili project the necessary zoning changes. The project now must be approved by the Honolulu City Council.

Sign-holding for political candidates is a tradition in Hawaii politics. Here Honolulu mayoral candidate, Kirk Caldwell (at left) joins Local 368’s Field Representatives, Leuma Leatumauga and Mark Magusara.

Local 368 is also holding signs for U.S. Senate hopeful, Mazie Hirono once a week.

Kirk: Local 368 goes ‘all-in’ for Oahu mayoral hopeful who helped with rail PLA

(Continued from Page 1)

“I’m proud to call myself a Filipino, but this election is not about race,” said Ganaban. “It’s about putting in the right person for the job. Kirk is the right man for this job.”

“Being mayor is about up close and personal with people in their everyday lives. It is about making sure the sewers work, it is about filling pot holes, it is about making sure the grass is cut in our district parks, it is about paving our roads and all those other things that everyday, if things don’t work, we are upset,” said Caldwell. “For me it’s about collaboration, working together and helping each other.”

Caldwell was born in the town of Waipahu, where his father served as the plantation’s doctor. At the age of five, his family moved to the Big Island and the town of Hilo. Growing up in the plantation towns of Waipahu and Hilo helped him understand the importance of community and belonging to one.

He recalls helping neighbors and friends evacuate their stores and homes during tsunami warnings in Hilo. Observing how everyone pitched in together, even complete strangers, helped shape his values.

“I quickly learned that you need to have a willingness to work together as a community. Those who only criticize and point fingers will find it hard to be part of a community.”

Oahu mayoral candidate, Kirk Caldwell, accepts an endorsement check from Local 368 Business Manager/Secretary-Treasurer Peter Ganaban after an afternoon of sign-holding with Local 368 supporters.
## Upcoming available training classes statewide*

### Oahu Training

#### Construction Classes

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Day</th>
<th>Course</th>
<th>Time</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>(August 2012)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7/30 &amp; 8/1</td>
<td>M/W</td>
<td>General Const. Plan Reading</td>
<td>5-8 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/6 &amp; 8/8</td>
<td>M/W</td>
<td>General Const. Plan Reading (cont’d)</td>
<td>5-8 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/11</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>General Const. Plan Reading (final class)</td>
<td>7 am-3:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/13 &amp; 8/15</td>
<td>M/W</td>
<td>Line &amp; Grade</td>
<td>5-8 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/18</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Line &amp; Grade (final class)</td>
<td>7 am-3:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/14 &amp; 8/16</td>
<td>T/TH</td>
<td>Sewer Phase II</td>
<td>5-8 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/21 &amp; 8/23</td>
<td>T/TH</td>
<td>Sewer Phase II (cont’d)</td>
<td>5-8 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/25</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Sewer Phase II (final class)</td>
<td>7am-3:30 pm</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

#### Safety & Equipment Classes

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Day</th>
<th>Course</th>
<th>Time</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>(August 2012)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/13 &amp; 8/14</td>
<td>M/T</td>
<td>CPR/AED/First Aid</td>
<td>5-8 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/15 &amp; 8/16</td>
<td>W/TH</td>
<td>Flag Person Safety</td>
<td>7 am-3:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/20 &amp; 8/21</td>
<td>M/T</td>
<td>CPR/AED/First Aid</td>
<td>5-8 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/22</td>
<td>W</td>
<td>Fall Protection</td>
<td>4:30-8:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/23</td>
<td>TH</td>
<td>Scaffold User</td>
<td>4:30-8:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/25</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Rough Terrain Fork Lift</td>
<td>7 am-3:30 pm</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

#### Environmental Classes

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Day</th>
<th>Course</th>
<th>Time</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>(September 2012)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/4 &amp; 6</td>
<td>T/TH</td>
<td>Basic Water</td>
<td>5-8 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/11 &amp; 13</td>
<td>T/TH</td>
<td>Basic Water (cont’d)</td>
<td>5-8 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/15</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Basic Water (cont’d)</td>
<td>7 am-3:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/19 &amp; 20</td>
<td>T/TH</td>
<td>Basic Water (cont’d)</td>
<td>5-8 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/22</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Basic Water (final class)</td>
<td>7 am-3:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/25 &amp; 27</td>
<td>T/TH</td>
<td>Basic Water (final classes)</td>
<td>5-8 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/4 &amp; 6</td>
<td>T/TH</td>
<td>Advance Sewer, Phase 3</td>
<td>5-8 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/8</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Advance Sewer, Phase 3 (final class)</td>
<td>7 am-3:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/25 &amp; 27</td>
<td>T/TH</td>
<td>Advance Water, Phase 1</td>
<td>5-8 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/29</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Advance Water, Phase 1 (final class)</td>
<td>7 am-3:30 pm</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

To register for courses, please fill-out the enrollment form with the Union Hall or visit them at 96-138 Farrington Highway. You may also call them at (808) 455-7979, Monday through Friday, between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

### Big Island Training

#### Safety & Equipment Classes

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Day</th>
<th>Course</th>
<th>Time</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>(August 2012)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/8</td>
<td>W</td>
<td>PCB</td>
<td>4:30-8:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/9</td>
<td>TH</td>
<td>Mercury</td>
<td>4:30-8:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/11</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Hazardous Waste Worker Refresher</td>
<td>7 am-3:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/22 &amp; 8/23</td>
<td>W/TH</td>
<td>EPA Lead Worker Initial</td>
<td>4:30-8:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/25</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>EPA Lead Worker Initial (final class)</td>
<td>7 am-3:30 pm</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Kauai Training

#### Safety & Equipment Classes

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Day</th>
<th>Course</th>
<th>Time</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>(September 2012)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/8</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>CPR/AED/First Aid</td>
<td>8 am-4 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/15</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>TBA</td>
<td>8 am-4 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/22</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>TBA</td>
<td>8 am-4 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/29</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>TBA</td>
<td>8 am-4 pm</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Maui Training

#### Construction Classes

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Day</th>
<th>Course</th>
<th>Time</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>(August 2012)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7/28</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>OSHA 10</td>
<td>8:30 am-4:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/4</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>OSHA 10 (final class)</td>
<td>8:30 am-4:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/11</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Basic Water</td>
<td>8:30 am-4:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/18</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Basic Water (cont’d)</td>
<td>8:30 am-4:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8/25</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Basic Water (cont’d)</td>
<td>8:30 am-4:30 pm</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

#### Safety & Equipment Classes

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Day</th>
<th>Course</th>
<th>Time</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>(September 2012)</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/15</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Basic Water (cont’d)</td>
<td>8:30 am-4:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/22</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Basic Water (final class)</td>
<td>8:30 am-4:30 pm</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9/29</td>
<td>S</td>
<td>Flag Person/T.C./Work Zone Safety</td>
<td>8:30 am-4:30 pm</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

* All schedules are subject to change
Local 368’s Retiree Corner...

Oahu Retiree’s Club takes a trip to Sea Life Park

Over 80 retirees and their guests got a chance to relive their childhood for a little while when they took a trip to visit Sea Life Park in March. Thanks to an accommodating staff at the park, Retiree Club members and their guests were given complimentary turtle food to feed the turtles, some of which are older than the retirees feeding them! Additionally, six cups of the turtle food were specially marked, allowing those lucky six to hand-feed the sea lions. The retiree group also got special seating for the dolphin shows, giving them great views, while being comfortably seated under cover.

‘Aloha’ Brother Daniel...

Local 368 bids a fond ‘Aloha’ to Daniel Sanford, Jr., who died in April. In addition to helping the Oahu Retirees’ Club, Daniel could also be counted among the first to offer his time and help for union activities, whether it be sign-waving for a political candidate or picking-up rubbish along the highway.

Pictured with him above is his wife, Louise, who is also a retired Construction Laborer.
### Laborers’ Calendar

#### AUGUST 2012

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Event</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>
| WEDNESDAY 1 | Maui Informational Meeting  
Maui Office - 610 Kolu St. #102  
6 p.m.                                       |
| THURSDAY 2  | Oahu Retirees’ Meeting  
Oahu Union Hall  
9 a.m.  
Kauai Informational Meeting  
King Kaumualii School  
6 p.m.                                      |
| WEDNESDAY 22| General Membership Meeting  
Oahu Union Hall  
6 p.m.                                       |
| FRIDAY 24   | Local 368’s Scholarship Golf Tournament  
Waikiki Golf Course                              |
| SATURDAY 25 | Oahu Union Hall Open  
8 a.m. - 12 noon  
New Member Orientation  
8 a.m.                                        |

#### SEPTEMBER 2012

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Event</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>
| SUNDAY 2   | Labor Day Unity Picnic  
Waikiki Shell  
(TENTATIVE)  
4 pm - 10 pm                                         |
| MONDAY 3   | Construction Industry Holiday  
Labor Day                                                      |
| WEDNESDAY 5| Kona Informational Meeting  
Kealakehe High School  
6 p.m.                                       |
| THURSDAY 6 | Oahu Retirees’ Meeting  
Oahu Union Hall  
9 a.m.  
Hilo Informational Meeting  
Hilo Office - 749 Mililani St.  
6 p.m.                                  |
| WEDNESDAY 26| General Membership Meeting  
Oahu Union Hall  
6 p.m.                                       |
| SATURDAY 29| Oahu Union Hall Open  
8 a.m. - 12 noon                                      |

**We want you! - Join Local 368’s ‘army’**

With one of the most important political elections upon us, Local 368 is looking for a few good men and women to help with our political activities. Volunteers are needed for weekly sign-holding events (dinner will be served to whoever shows up), attending rallies and canvassing through neighborhoods.

Local 368 will keep up its political activities up until the General Election, on Tuesday, Nov. 6, 2012. Even if you are not able to physically able to join us, please be sure to register to vote and when the time comes, exercise your right and vote.

**Property tax credit for Oahu homeowners**

The City & County of Honolulu is offering a real property tax credit to property owners who meet certain eligibility requirements. If you qualify, the maximum real property tax owed would not exceed 3-4 percent of your income, depending on age.

To be eligible for the tax credit you must:
- Be a homeowner who has a home exemption in effect at the time of application and for the subsequent tax year.
- Not own any other property anywhere.
- The combined income of all titleholders cannot exceed $50,000.

To qualify for the Tax Credit Program, you may complete an application available at the following locations:
- Satellite City Halls
- Treasury Division at Honolulu Hale
- Tax Relief Section at the Standard Financial Building
- [Online at: www.honolulu.gov/budget/Treasury_division.htm](http://www.honolulu.gov/budget/Treasury_division.htm)

The deadline to apply for the credit is Sept. 30th, annually. (You will need to file annually for this credit.) For more information, contact the Real Property Tax Relief Office at 768-3205.

**Obituaries**

In memory of our brothers and sisters who now rest in peace, we extend our sincere condolences to the families of:

- James Abreu
- Semimor Alipio
- Alejandro Cadaoas
- Zacarias Carmeole
- Cicere Crawford
- Edward Cruz
- Ignacio Fagaragan
- David Jaggers
- Isaac Kamoku
- Rory Kekahuna
- Martin Morales
- Aaron Pacheco
- Lawrence Pedro
- Liberata Respicio
- Rodrigo Salacup
- Daniel Sanford, Jr.
- Rogelio Tauyan
- Toshio Yamasaki

To their families, we express our deepest sympathies.