FACT SHEET
Hōkūleʻa Homecoming Ceremony and Celebration
Magic Island, Saturday, June 17, 2017, 7:00 AM to 5:30 PM

The culmination of the Mālama Honua Worldwide Voyage, Hōkūleʻa’s historic return to Hawaiʻi on June 17, 2017 will be celebrated at Magic Island, Oʻahu, with a cultural welcoming ceremony followed by an all-day grand celebration open to the entire community.

Event Timeline:
7-8:00 AM Four local voyaging canoes from Hawaiian Islands arrive at Magic Island marina
Arrival Times: 7:00 AM – Nāmāhoe / 7:30 AM Moʻokiha / 7:45 AM Makaliʻi / 8:00 AM Hawaiʻiloa
8:30 AM Two canoes from the Pacific voyaging community arrive at Magic Island marina
Okeanos Marshall Islands / Faʻafaité of Tahiti
9:00 AM Hikianalia enters marina and docks along bank
Hōkūleʻa enters marina and ties up to floating dock at Marker 7
10:00 AM Kāliʻi Rite conducted by Hale Mua
10:30 AM Formal Homecoming Ceremony
12:30-1 PM Screening of Mālama Honua Voyage Highlights
1:00-5:30 PM Hoʻolauleʻa: Music and Community Celebration
   1-1:20 PM Olomana
   1:30-1:45 PM Jon Osorio
   1:50-2:20 PM Kapena
   2:30-2:55 PM Keauhou
   3:00-3:10 PM Auliʻi Carvalho
   3:15-3:30 PM Leon & Malia
   3:35-3:45 PM Steve Grimes
   3:50-4:10 PM Kainani Kahaunaele
   4:15-4:40 PM Tahiti MANA
   4:45-5:20 PM John Cruz, Brother Noland & Paula Fuga
   5:20-5:25 PM Mahalo message from Nainoa Thompson
   5:25-5:30 PM “Hawaiʻi Aloha”

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Parking:
- No general parking in Magic Island, strictly enforced
- Limited handicap parking in Magic Island, must have placard-holder in the car with ID, strictly enforced
- Encouraging public transportation and off-site parking to alleviate expected congestion;
  - HPD may shut down Ala Moana Park Drive as needed
  - Offsite parking available with shuttles running as needed from 7:00 AM - 6:30 PM
  - Free parking at McKinley High School, enter at Pensacola St.
  - Paid parking at Hawai‘i Convention Center, enter at Kalakaua Ave.
For most updated and more information: [www.Hokulea.com](http://www.Hokulea.com)

Food:
- Participating vendors will be using compostable items; no one-time use plastics
- PVS encourages reusable water bottles, coconut filtered water stations provided by Kōkua Hawai‘i Foundation
- Participating food vendors:
  - Ahi Ambassadors
  - Da Spot
  - Hale Kealoha
  - IL Gelato
  - L&L Hawaiian Barbecue Hawaiian Plate and Mix Plate
  - Teddy’s Bigger Burgers
  - Waimānalo Farms

Other:
- Pop-up tents only allowed around perimeter of multi-purpose field
- No canoe tours or entry onto Hōkūle‘a
- PVS commemorative Homecoming t-shirts available for sale

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