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A Message from the Executive Director...

Aloha & Welcome to the Henry Kapono Foundation July/August 2020 Newsletter!

I am proud to report that our dedicated HKF team continues to remain hard at work to support Hawaii's Music Industry during these unprecedented times.

We have several exciting new announcements throughout this Newsletter and we hope you enjoy the read!

On April 1st, the HKF in partnership with the Kawakami Family and with support from Foodland launched our 2nd project, the "We Are Friends...Covid19 Relief Program for Hawaii's Music Community" providing basic essentials in the form of \$500 Foodland gift cards to musicians, producers, engineers, dancers and other music professionals who were so severely and immediately affected by the pandemic. To date, we have raised \$175,000 and have helped over 350 music professional families and remain committed to continuing to help until the urgent need subsides and we can all go back to work!

Once again, I would like to take a moment to MAHALO our Community and Friends here and afar that have come together to KOKUA our music industry!

Your donations continue to pour in daily and we remain humbled and honored at your generosity. Last month we announced our remaining fundraising goal for this giving project of \$50,000 and I am happy to report we have reached 50% of our goal! We have \$25,000 to go and we continue to welcome donations. If you would like to DONATE or LEARN MORE please visit <https://www.henrykaponofoundation.org> Together we can continue to make a difference in the lives of so many Hawaii music families.

We would also like to THANK all of you that are creating and donating to the Face Book Fundraisers! They are fun and easy to create and boy do the donations add up! If you would like more information, please email us at

Aloha@HenryKaponofoundation.org

I am also very honored and excited to announce the addition of our latest Board Member, Carolyn A. Berry Wilson. Carolyn is a lifelong passionate supporter of Music and the Arts as well as sports and the community at large. She brings vast experience and expertise to the HKF - welcome Carolyn!

And there's More Good Stuff... we are also super excited to announce A DELICIOUS WAY TO GIVE as the HKF teams up with Papa Johns Hawaii in further support of our Hawaii's Music Community! We announce two wonderful promotions, first, FREE PIZZA'S for Hawaii's musicians & professionals. But there's more... in addition to this generous offer, Papa Johns Hawaii is also offering KAPONO50 – with this promo code EVERYBODY can receive 50% off of their on-going pizza orders and \$1 per pizza will go to the Henry Kaponofoundation! For 27 years, local owner Mike Donley (and now with his new partner, Ravi Madhabhushi) has been supporting many of Hawaii's community organizations, schools & non-profits, and the HKF is very thankful for this opportunity! Please review below for more details.

And if that is not enough! Our National Spotlight features the exciting news that the Henry Kaponofoundation is now a register recipient of Amazon Smile! This means that anyway who shops at Smile.Amazon.com can designate .5% of their entire purchase as a donation to the HKF! WHOO-HOO! Amazon Smile is part of, and very similar to shopping on Amazon, please see details below and Shop on!

With these highlights in mind, we invite you to browse through this newsletter to better acquaint yourself with the Henry Kaponofoundation. Learn what we are about and how we support Hawaii's music industry and the community at large and how you can too! www.HenryKaponofoundation.org

Take care, stay safe and as Henry likes to say... Love, Peace and All That Good Stuff!

Lezlee Kaaihue
Executive Director
The Henry Kaponofoundation

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How Are You Doing?

As we move into our 4th month of dealing with Covid19, some situations are getting better and some worse. Our industry is one of the hardest hit and not likely to bounce back quickly.

Hawaii Spotlight

Our Expanding Team | A Delicious Promotion

**LIFE LONG PHILANTHROPIST & COMMUNITY SUPPORTER,
CAROLYN A. BERRY WILSON
JOINS THE HENRY KAPONO FOUNDATION BOARD!**

“My good friend, Jim Nabors, always laughed when I say that “I am just a simple little girl from West Virginia,” but that is how I feel!”. ~ Carolyn Berry Wilson

I’ve known Carolyn for 20+ years. She’s like the sunshine whenever she walks in the room. Always, smiling, always positive and she has a beautiful and loving heart. She is overflowing with Aloha”. ~ Henry Kapon

The Henry Kapon Foundation is honored to welcome Carolyn Berry Wilson to the Henry Kapon Foundation Board. Carolyn is a lifelong wife, mother, businesswoman, volunteer and philanthropist as well as an ardent supporter of music & the arts and local sports (Basketball is her favorite!).

Carolyn currently sits on the Boards of the Adult Friends for Youth, Ahahui Koa Anuenue, Diamond Head Theatre, Ballet Hawaii, Hawaii Theatre, Hawaii Opera Theatre and is Chairperson of the International Advisory Board of the Portland Japanese Gardens.

In addition, Carolyn is a member of the President’s Committee of the University of Hawaii and West Virginia University as well as the Board of Regents of Chaminade University. She is also President of the National Society of Arts and Letters and serves on the Advisory Committee for the University of Hawaii Sports Program and a Board Member/performer of the Silver Foxes Singing Group that gives back to the

community by performing for Retirement Communities, private parties and charities.

Carolyn brings a lifetime of non-profit acumen and community experience to the Henry Kapon Foundation and we are honored to have her as part of our team!

National Spotlight

Shopping Never Felt So Good!

The Henry Kapon Foundation thanks local Papa Johns owner, Mike Donley, and partner Ravi Madhabhushi, for their generous contribution & support of Hawaii's Music Industry & the Henry Kapon Foundation. Papa Johns Hawaii has 13 locations on Oahu and has been a long time supporter of many local schools, non-profit & community organizations over the past 27 years.

"BIG mahalo's to local Papa Johns Hawaii owner, Mike Donley! We are so grateful for your support of the Henry Kapon Foundation and Hawaii's music industry. We appreciate your generosity and love your pizza!"

— Henry Kapon

"Papa Johns Hawaii, and our over 300 local team members, are happy to help support the Henry Kapon Foundation and it's mission to help local entertainers during this very difficult time."

— Mike Donley, Papa Johns Franchise Owner

2 Amazing Pizza Promotions...

The Henry Kapon Foundation is excited to announce that we are now a registered charitable organization with Amazon Smile!

Daily Virtues

"Peace, Love & All That Good Stuff!"

114 Virtues & Climbing!

“Together we can make a difference. Let’s all do the right things to stay healthy & strong. And keep the Faith with higher hopes for bigger and better days to come...soon!”

— GOD BLESS, HENRY

Henry launched the Daily Virtues Video series where he talks about the word of the day, shares a positive message and sings a song to go along with it. Since starting the HKF COVID19 Relief program Henry has shared his Gratitude each day for all the warm messages and kind donations that have helped the Foundation far exceed its goals in giving.

In case you have missed them you can get caught up here. (Click The Image)

Our 2nd Project

Covid19 Relief Program For Hawaii's Music Community

WE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE

DUE TO AN OVERWHELMING RESPONSE
WE HAVE RAISED OUR INTENDED GIVING BY 230% to \$175,000.00
and are still going strong!

\$25,000 Needed to Reach Our Goal

Mahalo's

On June 1st we launched a new section on our website called "[Mahalo's](#)" a place to share the overwhelming positive messages and videos messages that have been coming in response to our 2nd Project the "We Are Friends...Covid19 Relief Program"

We would love to hear from you! You can share yours on the Henry Kapon Foundation Facebook Page or the "Mahalo's Page" directly.

I cannot thank you enough for what you've done for the Music Community. I am so proud that I can call you friend. Your foundation is truly a gift to Hawaii and you're spirit lifts us all. I Love You Henry, your family and foundation. Mahalo Nui loa.

JohnValentineHawaii

"Mahalo nui to the Henry Kapon Foundation, also the Kawakami family and Foodland for this wonderful assistance to those of us in the Hawaiian Entertainment industry. With the difficult times we are all facing this has been a real blessing to me and my family.

Mahalo nui 'ia Henry a me Lezlee!"

— KIMO

*I want to give a major mahalo to Henry,Lezlee,their 'ohana & foundation along with the Kawakami 'ohana for your blessing at this time of the covid 19 pandemic.May Akua manaloa return the blessings a hundred fold unto you!!🙏🥰❤️
Please, if you're in need of some kind of help, visit the Henry Kapon foundation.*

They are more than willing to help while the funds are still available.

Me ka ha'aha'a,
'O wau...Darryl

[Access The Mahalo's Page](#)

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[More Good Stuff...](#)

[Our 1st Project](#)
The Songs of C&K Recording Project

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"Mahalo for your donation and have a Beautiful Hawaiian Day!"

With Your Help & Support We Can Continue to Make a Difference! Mahalo!

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