

# 2019 WETLANDS DAY TOURS



**Bus Tour #1  
Kawainui Culture & History**

Discover the cultural significance and history of Kawainui as you hear the mo'olelo and visit sites being restored and preserved by cultural groups and volunteers.

Times: 9:30am & 12:00pm

Meeting Site: Kailua Methodist Church - Tour Tent

Sites on Tour: Nā Pōhaku o Hauwahine, Pahukini Heiau, and Wai'āuia

Tour Guide: Dr. Charles Burrows



**Bus Tour #2  
Kawainui-Hāmākua Wetlands**

See where Hawaii's endangered waterbirds live and learn about programs focused on improving their habitat and increasing their population.

Times: 9:40am & 12:10pm

Meeting Site: Kailua Methodist Church - Tour Tent

Sites on Tour: Hāmākua Wetland, Kahanaiki, and the Kawainui Research Station.

Tour Guide: Ati Jeffers-Fabro, DOFAW Wetlands Manager



**Bus Tour #3 - Maunawili**

Explore the hidden treasures of Maunawili Valley and learn how the community is working to protect and restore these special places.

Times: 9:45am & 12:15pm

Meeting Site: Kailua Methodist Church - Tour Tent

Sites on Tour: Remnants of rice and poi mills at Trinity Church, Ho'oku'āina Kapala Farm, and Queen Lili'uokalani Retreat, Royal Hawaiian Golf Club.

Tour Guide: Dr. Paul Brennan



**Tour #4  
Ulupō Heiau**

Learn about efforts to restore the cultural landscape of O'ahu's largest platform heiau and perpetuate the cultural traditions of the Kailua ahupua'a.

Times: 10:00am & 12:30pm

Duration: 1 hour

Meeting Site: Kailua Methodist Church - Tour Tent

Tour Description: Cultural overview and mo'olelo of Ulupō Heiau, walk through the lo'i kalo, poi making demonstration.

Tour Guides: Hika'alani and Kailua Hawaiian Civic Club

Sign-up at Event: Tour Tent  
 Tour Size: Limited to 25 people per tour  
 Tour Duration: 1.5 hour  
 \* Gather at Tour Tent at least 5 minutes prior to tour

**BE PREPARED.** Tours involve walking on uneven dirt paths.  
 • Good shoes, hat, sunscreen, and water recommended.  
 • Bring camera and binoculars.  
 • Mosquitos may be present.