



PBS HAWAII



keiki club

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CEO MESSAGE

Aloha mai kākou,

October is always a special month at PBS Hawai'i. It's when our mission comes through in ways our youngest learners can see and feel.

As Hawai'i's only locally owned, statewide public television station, our commitment to keiki is one of the most important responsibilities we carry. Creating safe places for children to learn and grow has always guided our work – and it still does.

This month, we welcome families to two community events that celebrate imagination and play. Trunk O' Treat, on our campus, brings Keiki Club members together for a morning of costumes, creativity and PBS KIDS fun. For the past five years, my wife Paige and I have dressed as the Cat in the Hat and Thing 1. It has become a tradition we enjoy because of the excitement on the faces of keiki who recognize characters they love.

At O'ahu's Pearlridge Center, Candy Crawl draws nearly 5,000 community members each year. Both events give keiki a chance to explore, meet new friends and enjoy safe, welcoming spaces to celebrate Halloween with their families.

These gatherings remind us that learning does not only happen in classrooms or on screens. It



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happens in small moments of joy, curiosity and connection. They also show how much it matters for keiki to see trusted adults involved in and enjoying the day with them. When families see PBS Hawai'i staff and volunteers fully engaged, it reinforces that we are here for them not only on screen – but in person and in community.

October also marks the start of a new season of **HIKI NŌ on PBS HAWAII**, Hawai'i's statewide student storytelling initiative. For 18 seasons, students from public, charter and private schools across the islands have used this platform to share their stories and perspectives. Their work reflects the strength and resilience of Hawai'i's young people and we are committed to supporting them as they build skills that will carry them forward.

Nationally, PBS KIDS is adding to that sense of discovery this month. On October 5, **Super Why's Comic Book Adventures** arrives with a fresh, playful way to help preschoolers

build early reading skills. And on October 14, the **Sesame Street** gang joins **Nature** for a special crossover episode that follows Elmo, Abby and Nina as they learn about caring for animals and visit a sanctuary in Kenya. Both premieres offer families more chances to learn together and see trusted characters explore the world with curiosity and heart.

Mahalo for supporting our mission and for believing in the importance of educational media for Hawai'i's keiki. October brings our work full circle, from community events to **HIKI NŌ** storytellers to new PBS KIDS content. Together, we are creating places where children feel safe, curious and connected. That is the heart of PBS Hawai'i and we are honored to carry it forward with you.

With respect,

Ron and the PBS Hawai'i Team



Home is Here

PBS HAWAII

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29
AT 7:30 PM**

Illikoi Goods creator Anthony Duong repurposes old garments into highly sought after headwear and accessories. Through his journey into sewing and craftsmanship he has found community and made unexpected connections along the way.

Hawaiian country and blues singer **Kapali Long** has found a home in Nashville, Tennessee. While his story might seem like a fish-out-of-water tale, Kapali is quick to remind anyone who questions what he is doing in country music that Hawaiians have been part of the genre from its beginnings - and that he is right where he belongs.

Founded in 1929, **Teshima Restaurant** blends Japanese dishes with local favorites. After nearly a century, this landmark along the Kona coast of Hawai'i island remains a testament to founder Mary "Grandma" Teshima's enduring legacy.



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SUNDAY



4	7:00 THE MARLOW MURDER CLUB ON MASTERPIECE <i>An Appetite for Murder, Part 1</i> 8:00 MARBLE HALL MURDERS ON MASTERPIECE <i>Part 5 of 6</i> 9:00 TRESPASSES <i>Part 3 of 4</i> 11:00 TO THE CONTRARY WITH BONNIE ERBE 11:30 THE CHAVIS CHRONICLES
11	7:00 THE MARLOW MURDER CLUB ON MASTERPIECE <i>An Appetite for Murder, Part 2</i> 8:00 MARBLE HALL MURDERS ON MASTERPIECE <i>Part 6 of 6</i> 9:00 TRESPASSES <i>Part 4 of 4</i> 10:00 UNEARTHING OGAWA 11:00 TO THE CONTRARY WITH BONNIE ERBE 11:30 THE CHAVIS CHRONICLES
18	7:00 PROFESSOR T <i>Season 5: Natural Causes</i> 8:00 MAIGRET ON MASTERPIECE <i>Season 2: The Hanged Man, Part 1</i> 9:00 THE GOLD ON MASTERPIECE <i>Season 2: Part 1 of 6</i> 10:00 NOVA <i>Evolution: Brain Power</i> 11:00 TO THE CONTRARY WITH BONNIE ERBE 11:30 THE CHAVIS CHRONICLES
25	7:00 PROFESSOR T <i>Season 5: The Ring</i> 8:00 MAIGRET ON MASTERPIECE <i>Season 2: The Hanged Man, Part 2</i> 9:00 THE GOLD ON MASTERPIECE <i>Season 2: Part 2 of 6</i> 10:00 NOVA <i>Evolution: Need to Feed</i> 11:00 TO THE CONTRARY WITH BONNIE ERBE 11:30 THE CHAVIS CHRONICLES

MONDAY

A GIFT WITH YOUR GIFT

With your gift of \$75 or more, we'd like to share a limited edition PBS Hawai'i T-shirt with you to commemorate 60 years of storytelling at PBS Hawai'i. Giving is easy at [pbshawaii.org/donate](https://www.pbshawaii.org/donate) or complete and mail in the donation form on page 11 of your program guide.

5	7:30 NĀ MELE <i>Kala'e Camarillo</i> 8:00 ANTIQUES ROADSHOW <i>Vintage First Finds, Hour 3</i> 9:00 INDEPENDENT LENS <i>My Omaha</i> 10:30 POV SHORTS <i>Boom and Bust</i> 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
12	7:30 NĀ MELE <i>Kalani Pe'a</i> 8:00 ANTIQUES ROADSHOW <i>Vintage First Finds, Hour 4</i> 9:00 CITY OF A MILLION DREAMS 10:30 DR. EDDIE HENDERSON: UNCOMMON GENIUS 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
19	7:30 NĀ MELE <i>Richard Ho'opi'i and George Kahumoku Jr.</i> 8:00 ANTIQUES ROADSHOW <i>Vintage First Finds, Hour 5</i> 9:00 BIG SONIA 10:00 AMERICAN CREED: CITIZEN POWER <i>Kenai to Kentucky</i> 10:30 AMERICAN CREED: CITIZEN POWER <i>Together on This Land</i> 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
26	7:30 NĀ MELE <i>Waipuna</i> 8:00 ANTIQUES ROADSHOW <i>Vintage First Finds, Hour 6</i> 9:00 PATI JINICH EXPLORES PANAMERICANA <i>Montana & Wyoming: Small Acts, Wide Ripples</i> 10:00 INDEPENDENT LENS <i>Seeds</i> 12:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY

TUESDAY



6	7:30 HIKI NŌ ON PBS HAWAII' I FINDING YOUR ROOTS <i>Tragedy + Time = Comedy</i> 8:00 AMERICAN MASTERS <i>American Pachuco: The Legend of Luis Valdez</i> 10:30 ARMADILLO MAN: THE TRIPS OF JIM FRANKLIN 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
13	7:30 HIKI NŌ ON PBS HAWAII' I FINDING YOUR ROOTS <i>Visionaries</i> 8:00 FRONTLINE <i>American Voices 2026</i> 9:00 SEE MEMORY 10:30 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
20	7:30 HIKI NŌ ON PBS HAWAII' I FINDING YOUR ROOTS <i>War Stories</i> 8:00 MY FATHER'S PRISON 9:00 FRONTLINE <i>Haiti Deportation Crisis</i> 10:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
27	7:30 HIKI NŌ ON PBS HAWAII' I FINDING YOUR ROOTS <i>The Pioneers</i> 8:00 BREAKING THE DEADLOCK <i>Al: Who's in Control?</i> 9:00 IN PURSUIT: LESSONS OF AMERICAN LEADERSHIP 10:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY

WEDNESDAY

1	7:30 INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAII' I 8:30 PBS HAWAII' I PRESENTS <i>Nation Within: The Story of America's Annexation of Hawai'i</i> 10:00 PACIFIC HEARTBEAT <i>Pacific Mother</i> 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
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7	7:30 PBS HAWAII' I CLASSICS <i>Island Ghost Stories, Preserving Artifacts, Bikers in Paradise</i> 8:00 BIG CATS 24/7 <i>Part 6</i> 9:00 NOVA <i>Space Wars</i> 10:00 SECRETS OF THE DEAD <i>Cleopatra's Last Temple</i> 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
14	7:30 PBS HAWAII' I CLASSICS <i>Marine Corps Band, BYUH Choir, Rarotonga Performers</i> 8:00 NATURE <i>Sesame Street and the Great Elephant Adventure</i> 9:00 NOVA <i>Evolution: Brain Power</i> 10:00 SECRETS OF THE DEAD <i>Africa's Golden City</i> 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
21	7:30 PBS HAWAII' I CLASSICS <i>Fashion in Hawai'i</i> 8:00 NATURE <i>Tiger Island, Part 1 of 2</i> 9:00 NOVA <i>Evolution: Need to Feed</i> 10:00 SECRETS OF THE DEAD <i>Raising Lady Liberty</i> 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
28	7:30 HOME IS HERE ROOTS <i>Illikoi Goods, Kapali Long, Teshima Restaurant</i> 8:00 NATURE <i>Tiger Island, Part 2 of 2</i> 9:00 NOVA <i>Evolution: Body Builders</i> 10:00 SECRETS OF THE DEAD <i>Field of Vampires</i> 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY

THURSDAY

2	7:30 WASHINGTON WEEK WITH THE ATLANTIC 8:00 39TH HISPANIC HERITAGE AWARDS 9:00 VOCES ASCO: Without Permission 10:30 RUDOLFO ANAYA: THE MAGIC OF WORDS 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
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8	7:30 INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAII' I 8:30 PBS HAWAII' I PRESENTS <i>When Silence Becomes The Song</i> 9:30 THE FISHER PEOPLE <i>Everything Has Changed</i> 10:00 CINEMA NOMAD <i>Zimbabwe</i> 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
15	7:30 INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAII' I 8:30 PBS HAWAII' I PRESENTS <i>Songs of Love from Hawai'i</i> 9:30 THE FISHER PEOPLE <i>The Promised Land</i> 10:00 CINEMA NOMAD <i>Albania</i> 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
22	7:30 INSIGHTS ON PBS HAWAII' I 8:30 PBS HAWAII' I PRESENTS <i>Ah Quon McElrath: The Struggle Never Ends</i> 9:30 THE FISHER PEOPLE <i>Little Saigon</i> 10:00 CINEMA NOMAD <i>Belgium</i> 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY
29	7:30 PACIFIC HEARTBEAT <i>Protecting Hawai'i's Precious Resources</i> 8:30 PBS HAWAII' I PRESENTS <i>The World 'Ukulele Program In Bali</i> 9:00 STORY POLE 9:30 THE FISHER PEOPLE <i>The Stories We Tell</i> 10:00 CINEMA NOMAD <i>Argentina</i> 11:00 AMANPOUR AND COMPANY

FRIDAY

3	7:00 RELISH <i>King Cake and Bundt Cake</i> 7:30 FOOD. CURATED. <i>Global Flavors, Local Makers</i> 8:00 BELONGING 9:00 LOVING JOHN 10:00 PATI JINICH EXPLORES PANAMERICANA <i>Alaska: Wild Harvest</i> 11:00 AUSTIN CITY LIMITS <i>Sienna Spiro</i>
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10	7:00 RELISH <i>Filipino Pancit and Mexican Burritos</i> 7:30 FOOD. CURATED. <i>The Sourdough Bread Craze</i> 8:00 WHO'S THE WE? FRIENDS & NEIGHBORS: STORIES OF HOPE & HEALING 9:00 PATI JINICH EXPLORES PANAMERICANA <i>Juneau & Whitehorse: Sister Cities</i> 11:00 AUSTIN CITY LIMITS <i>Olivia Rodrigo</i>
17	7:00 HOME IS HERE <i>Timmy Chang, Maui</i> 7:30 KĀKOU: HAWAII'S TOWN HALL <i>Hawaiians: He Ala Hou – A New Way Forward</i> 9:00 VOCES <i>Paquito D'Rivera: From Carne y Frijol to Carnegie Hall</i> 10:00 PATI JINICH EXPLORES PANAMERICANA <i>Alberta: Canada's Changing Heartland</i> 11:00 AUSTIN CITY LIMITS <i>Ari Lennox</i>
24	7:00 RELISH <i>Potato Latkes and Kimchi Jjigae</i> 7:30 JOSEPH ROSENDO'S STEPPIN' OUT <i>The Wonderful World of Markets</i> 8:00 GREAT PERFORMANCES AT THE MET <i>El Último Sueño de Frida y Diego</i> 10:00 CRAFT IN AMERICA <i>East</i> 11:00 AUSTIN CITY LIMITS <i>Red Clay Strays</i>
31	7:00 RELISH <i>Sourdough Bread and Banana Tart</i> 7:30 JOSEPH ROSENDO'S STEPPIN' OUT <i>A Wonderful World of Festivals</i> 8:00 IN SEARCH OF EDGAR ALLAN POE <i>Part 1</i> 9:30 IN SEARCH OF EDGAR ALLAN POE <i>Part 2</i> 11:00 AUSTIN CITY LIMITS <i>Ty Myers</i>

WEEKLY DAYTIME SCHEDULE

	MONDAY - FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
5:00 am	Clifford the Big Red Dog	Cyberchase	Weather Hunters
5:30 am	Ready Jet Go!	Nature Cat	Odd Squad
6:00 am	Dinosaur Train	Dinosaur Train	Donkey Hodie
6:30 am	Donkey Hodie	Donkey Hodie	Mister Rogers' Neighborhood
7:00 am	Work It Out Wombats	Wild Kratts	Sesame Street
7:30 am	Elinor Wonders Why	Arthur	Elinor Wonders Why
8:00 am	Xavier Riddle and the Secret Museum	Xavier Riddle and the Secret Museum	Rosie's Rules
8:30 am	Rosie's Rules	Alma's Way	Phoebe & Jay
9:00 am	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood	Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood
9:30 am	Super Why's Comic Book Adventures	Work It Out Wombats!	Super Why's Comic Book Adventures
10:00 am	Phoebe & Jay	Molly of Denali	Carl the Collector
10:30 am	Carl the Collector	Weather Hunters	Arthur
11:00 am	Molly of Denali	Lyla in the Loop	WordGirl
11:30 am	Lyla in the Loop	Odd Squad	Wild Kratts
noon	Sesame Street	HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i	Antiques Roadshow
12:30 pm	Alma's Way	Classical Stretch	
1:00 pm	NHK Newsline	The Best of The Joy of Painting	PBS Hawai'i Presents
1:30 pm	NHK World-Japan	J Schwanke/Joy of Painting	
2:00 pm	NHK Newsline	The Garage with Steve Butler	Insights on PBS Hawai'i
2:30 pm	NHK World-Japan	Ask This Old House	
3:00 pm	Wild Kratts	This Old House	HIKI NŌ on PBS Hawai'i
3:30 pm	Weather Hunters	MotorWeek	Nā Mele
4:00 pm	Arthur	Pati's Mexican Table	PBS Hawai'i Classics/Home is Here
4:30 pm	Odd Squad	America's Test Kitchen	Life from the LBJ Library
5:00 pm	NHK Newsline	Cook's Country	NHK Newsline
5:30 pm	NHK World-Japan	Milk Street Television	Biz Stream/Darwin's Animals
6:00 pm	BBC News	Dining with the Chef	Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
6:30 pm	PBS News Hour	Horizons from PBS News	Compass Points from PBS News

NHK WORLD-JAPAN

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1:00 pm	NHK Newsline	NHK Newsline	NHK Newsline	NHK Newsline	NHK Newsline
1:30 pm	Hometown Stories	Deeper Look	Kabuki Kool	Lunch On!	Japanology Plus
2:00 pm	NHK Newsline	NHK Newsline	NHK Newsline	NHK Newsline	NHK Newsline
2:30 pm	Journeys in Japan	Dive in Tokyo	Core Kyoto	Asia Insight	NHK World -Japan Showcase (2:10 pm)
5:00 pm	NHK Newsline	NHK Newsline	NHK Newsline	NHK Newsline	Asia Insight
5:30 pm	Trails to Oshii Tokyo	Japanology Plus	Dive In Tokyo	Journeys in Japan	Medical Frontiers



PBS KIDS 24/7

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5:00 am	Cyberchase
5:30 am	Hero Elementary
6:00 am	Clifford the Big Red Dog
6:30 am	Sesame Street
7:00 am	Super Why's Comic Book Adventures
7:30 am	Donkey Hodie
8:00 am	Sesame Street
8:30 am	Phoebe & Jay
9:00 am	Work It Out Wombats!
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11:00 am	Super Why's Comic Book Adventures
11:30 am	Carl the Collector
noon	Carl the Collector
12:30 pm	Donkey Hodie
1:00 pm	Elinor Wonders Why
1:30 pm	Rosie's Rules
2:00 pm	Phoebe & Jay
2:30 pm	Xavier Riddle and the Secret Museum
3:00 pm	Molly of Denali
3:30 pm	Pinkalicious & Peterrific
4:00 pm	Alma's Way
4:30 pm	Lyla in the Loop
5:00 pm	Weather Hunters
5:30 pm	Odd Squad
6:00 pm	Wild Kratts
6:30 pm	Weather Hunters
7:00 pm	Lyla in the Loop
7:30 pm	Arthur
8:00 pm	Nature Cat
8:30 pm	Wild Kratts
9:00 pm	Cyberchase
9:30 pm	Hero Elementary
10:00 pm	Phoebe & Jay
10:30 pm	Xavier Riddle and the Secret Museum
11:00 pm	Molly of Denali
11:30 pm	Pinkalicious & Peterrific
midnight	Alma's Way
12:30 am	Lyla in the Loop
1:00 am	Weather Hunters
1:30 am	Odd Squad
2:00 am	Wild Kratts
2:30 am	Weather Hunters
3:00 am	Lyla in the Loop
3:30 am	Arthur
4:00 am	Nature Cat
4:30 am	Wild Kratts

LOCAL PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS



HIKI NŌ

PBS HAWAII

AIRS TUESDAYS AT 7:30 PM

HIKI NŌ on PBS HAWAII is back with all-new episodes this month beginning with Class of 2026, Parts 1 and 2 on October 6 and October 13. This two-part special celebrates standout graduates as they reflect on their HIKI NŌ experiences and the stories, skills and confidence they gained along the way. Their journeys are a testament to the lasting value of HIKI NŌ and its role in empowering Hawai'i's students to share meaningful stories from their communities.

For the first time, the Class of 2026 special also features a middle school student transitioning to high school.

"Being able to tell important stories, it makes me feel like I'm doing something important, like what I'm doing as something fun actually like has an impact on people, and I think that's really meaningful to me," says Eliana Viernes, a recent Maui Waena Intermediate School graduate beginning ninth grade and continuing her media journey at Maui High School.

On October 20, HIKI NŌ launches Season 18 – a new collection of student-produced stories that brings fresh perspectives, compelling voices and meaningful moments from schools and communities throughout

Hawai'i. From stories that inform and inspire to those that reveal the creativity and concerns of a new generation, the season continues HIKI NŌ's mission of giving students a platform to tell the stories that matter to them.

PBS Hawai'i extends a special mahalo to the organizations whose generous support make HIKI NŌ on PBS HAWAII possible: Bank of Hawai'i Foundation, Cooke Foundation, Ltd., Elsie H. Wilcox Foundation, G.N. Wilcox Trust (Bank of Hawai'i, Trustee), George Mason Fund of the Hawai'i Community Foundation, Hawai'i Schools Digital Media Grant Program (HENC), Nuestro Futuro Foundation, Saltchuk Hawai'i Giving and The Freeman Foundation.

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CLASSICS

AIRS MOST WEDNESDAYS AT 7:30 PM

October 7 | Island Ghost Stories, Preserving Artifacts, Bikers in Paradise

Historian/author Glen Grant explains the differences between ghost stories in Hawai'i and those from other places in the world. Also, learn about the challenges archivists face in preserving artifacts. Plus, motorcycle riders raise funds for the Muscular Dystrophy Association in this *Spectrum Hawai'i* episode from 1989.

October 14 | Marine Corps Band, BYUH Choir, Rarotonga Performers

In this episode of *Spectrum Hawai'i* from 1987, meet the talented members of the Fleet Marine Force Pacific Band, hear

the harmony of the choir at Brigham Young University-Hawaii and enjoy the traditional music of performers from the Cook Islands in the South Pacific.

October 21 | Fashion in Hawai'i

Learn the history of the fashion industry in Hawai'i and hear from leading local designers of the time in this *Spectrum Hawai'i* episode from 1983.

INSIGHTS
ON PBS HAWAII

AIRS THURSDAYS AT 7:30 PM

Candidates are in the home stretch as the November 3 General Election approaches. Stay tuned to PBS Hawai'i for forums featuring candidates in races from across the state.

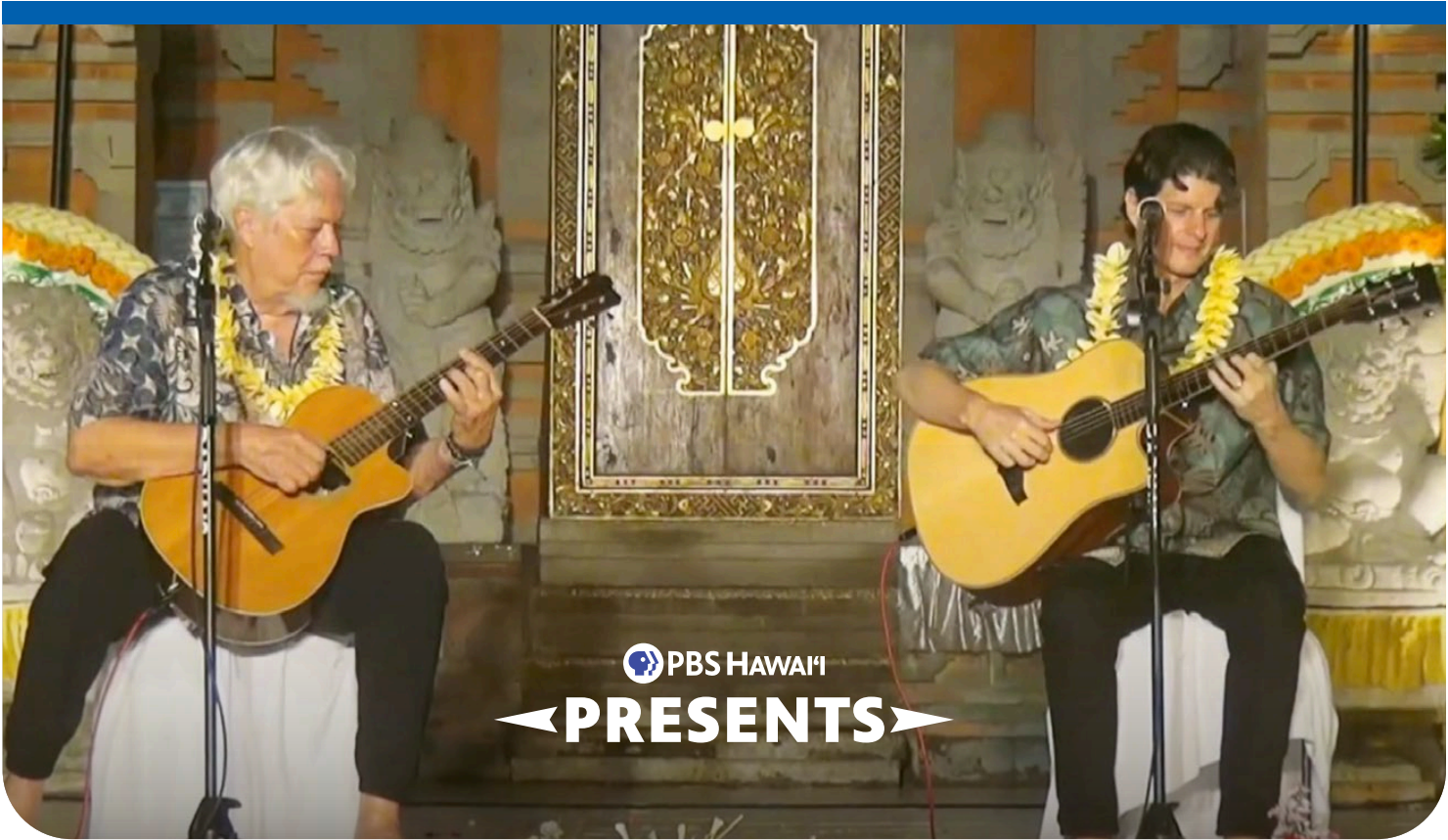
'ONO!
Hawai'i's Food Culture
DIGITAL EXCLUSIVE

UPLOADS ONCE A MONTH

From sweet to savory and everything in between, bon dance season serves up delicious dishes and treasured traditions in communities across our islands. In this month's new episode of 'ONO! Hawai'i's Food Culture out on October 2, we immerse ourselves in the season and savor the flavors generations of families gather to enjoy.



LOCAL PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS



PBS HAWAII
PRESENTS

THE WORLD 'UKULELE PROGRAM IN BALI Thursday, October 29, 8:30 PM

The mission of the World 'Ukulele Program is to spread the aloha spirit around the world by teaching disadvantaged children how to play the 'ukulele. The program has been successful, providing opportunities in Cambodia, India and the Kingdom of Bhutan.

The latest outreach happened in Bali, Indonesia, and was documented by Emmy Award-winning filmmaker Tom Vendetti from Maui. In his film, *The World 'Ukulele Program in Bali*, he follows Hawaiian musician Keola Beamer and his wife, kumu hula Moanalani Beamer, along with musicians Jeff Peterson, Steve Grimes and Jeff Cook as they travel to Bali to teach children music and dance. The film captures the joy of discovery and the heart of cultural exchange.



NATIONAL PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS



SUPER WHY'S COMIC BOOK ADVENTURES Premieres Monday, October 5 on PBS KIDS and pbskids.org

This new animated series builds on the legacy of the Emmy-nominated series *SUPER WHY!* and supports early literacy for preschoolers and kindergartners. Action-packed stories follow the adventures of the beloved Super Readers in the epic comic book world of Reader Valley.



AMERICAN MASTERS American Pachuco: The Legend of Luis Valdez Tuesday, October 6, 9:00 pm

Discover the legacy of playwright and filmmaker Luis Valdez, best known for his play *Zoot Suit*, the Ritchie Valens biopic *La Bamba* and as founder of the theatre company El Teatro Campesino. Edward James Olmos narrates and the film features extensive interviews with Valdez and Lou Diamond Phillips, Cheech Marin and Linda Ronstadt.



THE FISHER PEOPLE Thursdays, October 8-29, 9:30 pm

Learn about the immigration experiences of Vietnamese refugees who fled war in the 1970s and settled along the Mississippi Gulf Coast, turning to fishing despite language barriers, economic hardship and threats of violence and segregation. Fifty years later, Vietnamese churches, temples and businesses dot the coast – a testament to people who persevered.



NATURE Sesame Street and the Great Elephant Adventure Wednesday, October 14, 8:00 pm

After adopting an orphaned elephant online, Elmo, Abby Cadabby, and Nina travel to a sanctuary in Kenya to meet the young elephant and her keepers. The Sesame Street friends then embark on a safari that brings them face to face with some of Africa's most iconic wildlife, including lions, zebras, giraffes and hippos.



NOVA Evolution Wednesdays, October 14- November 11, 9:00 pm

In this landmark series, featuring passionate scientists, gorgeous photography, and stunning animations of long-lost ancestors, discover how every animal we know today sprang from creatures that looked nothing like them. Full of surprising twists and turns over billions of years, each chapter in this epic tale reveals how animal life became so diverse and resilient through the power of evolution.



THE GOLD ON MASTERPIECE Season 2 Sundays, October 18-November 22, 9:00 pm

Season 2 opens as DCI Brian Boyce (Hugh Bonneville, pictured) and his team now aware that the criminals they've been focused on only ever had half of the Brink's-Mat loot. So where did the rest go? The investigation exposes a dangerous trail of international money laundering and organized crime in this thrilling final chapter.

NATIONAL PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS



GREAT PERFORMANCES AT THE MET
El Último Sueño de Frida y Diego
Saturday, October 24, 8:00 pm

Composer Gabriela Lena Frank makes her Met debut with a magical-realist tale of Mexico's painterly power couple, Frida Kahlo and Diego Rivera. A reversal of the Orpheus and Euridice myth, the story depicts Frida leaving the underworld on the Day of the Dead and reuniting with Diego. Yannick Nézet-Séguin conducts, with mezzo soprano Isabel Leonard as Frida and baritone Carlos Álvarez as Diego.



GREAT PERFORMANCES
Jimmy Webb: American
Songwriter
Friday, October 30, 8:00 pm

This concert pays tribute to the master songwriter whose iconic hits include “Up, Up and Away,” “Wichita Lineman,” “By the Time I Get to Phoenix,” “Galveston” and “MacArthur Park.” Webb is joined in performance by special guest stars and the program features archival clips of artists who made Webb’s songs famous, including Frank Sinatra, The 5th Dimension and Donna Summer.

ON THE COVER

The PBS Hawai‘i Keiki Club - created for families just like yours!

Children don’t just watch PBS KIDS. They get involved. They talk to the characters on screen, repeat what they hear and act out what they see.

Programs like **Daniel Tiger’s Neighborhood**, **Sesame Street** and **Clifford the Big Red Dog** give children a safe place to learn, grow and build a strong foundation for lifelong learning.

If your child or grandchild watches PBS Hawai‘i, you already give us two very valuable things: their time and your trust.

Join the PBS Hawai‘i Keiki Club with a gift of \$30, and \$25 for each additional sibling. Your membership supports the PBS KIDS programs your family loves while giving your keiki special benefits and opportunities throughout the year.

Keiki Club members receive:

- Welcome pack
- Birthday gift
- On-air birthday message
- Invitations to exclusive Keiki Club events



Join today at pbshawaii.org/keiki-club or call Terry at (808) 462-5048.



Save the Date!

Keiki Club Trunk O’ Treat
Saturday, October 17, 2026

This special event is exclusively for PBS Hawai‘i Keiki Club members. Members will receive an invitation with event details and a link to RSVP.

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NĀ MELE-THON

Thursday, November 26, starting at 7:30 PM

Enjoy a triple treat of Nā Mele on Thanksgiving night. This a chance to enjoy some of the best music in Hawai'i following a big meal with family and friends. At the same time, the programs offer opportunities to support the station while listening to locally-produced music you won't get anywhere else. The lineup includes Robert Cazimero with Kuana Torres Kahele, Jerry Santos and Henry Kapono.

Top: Robert Cazimero and Kuana Torres Kahele perform at Palikū Theatre in Kāne'ohe, Windward O'ahu.