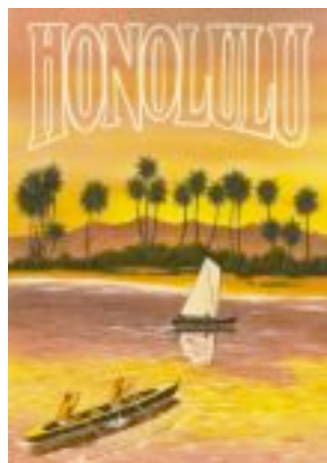




Presenting:

Hanks High School

***Honolulu Tour
May 17-22, 2014***



Hanks High School Honolulu Tour 2014

Air itinerary

Saturday May 17, 2014 15 Seats US AIR

Flight #2944

8:30am

Depart El Paso

9:06am

Arrive Phoenix

Flight #692

10:35am

Depart Phoenix

2:13pm

Arrive Honolulu

Saturday May 17, 2014 65 seats US AIR

Flight #2725

12:30pm

Depart El Paso

12:49pm

Arrive PHX

Flight #694

1:59pm

Depart PHX

5:32pm

Arrive HNL

Thursday, May 22, 2014 15 seats

Flight #690

1:05pm

Depart Honolulu

10:06pm

Arrive Phoenix

Flight #2935

11:50pm

Depart Phoenix

Friday, May 23, 2014

2:01am

Arrive El Paso

Thursday May 22, 2014 65 seats US AIR

Flight #693

10:15pm

Depart HNL

Friday, May 23, 2014

7:06am

Arrive PHX

Flight #2727

8:58am

Depart PHX

11:21am

Arrive El Paso

PLEASE NOTE:

Airline baggage polices vary and are subject to change;
Current customary baggage fees are \$25 or more for the 1st checked bag
and \$25.00-\$50.00 for the 2nd checked bag.

In addition, extra fees vary by airline for
over-sized or overweight checked items.

ALL baggage fees MUST be paid at check-in
(NOT INCLUDED IN PACKAGE PRICE)

Hanks High School Honolulu 2014

Saturday – May 17, 2014

1 charter bus

Morning Meet at the airline **ticket counter** at the airport for individual check-in. **PLEASE have picture ID ready.** Check luggage/equipment and proceed through security to the proper departure gate.

2:13pm Upon arrival at the Honolulu International Airport, experience a traditional welcome to the Hawaiian Islands with an authentic **lei greeting** right at your arrival gate! Your Hawaiian lei greeting will provide you a taste of the unique and warm aloha spirit that is only found on these beautiful islands.

Following the greeting, you will be escorted to baggage claim to collect your luggage. From there, you will board chartered motorcoach for your transfer to your hotel.

Transfer to the hotel for check-in.

Aston Waikiki
2570 Kalakaua Ave

Room keys will be ready upon arrival.

TBD Walk to Waikiki Beach and enjoy some relaxing time on the beach!

This famous stretch of sand offers so many things to do. Getting a tan on Waikiki Beach is only the beginning.

Get a rubber raft at a nearby ABC or E-Z Discount stores and float offshore. Watch the surfers ride Waikiki's waves. The local beach boys rent the gear—they'll tell the story of surfing legend Duke Kahanamoku, now remembered with a statue across from the Hyatt at Uluniu Ave.

We suggest the **Waikiki Beach Walk** for dinner on your own.

This shopping and restaurant complex includes forty retailers, six restaurants, and a street-level open-air promenade and entertainment plaza on Lewers Street between Kalakaua Avenue and Kalia Road. Call home and let your friends see you live on this webcam at **DUKE KAHANAMOKU's Statue**,
<http://www.co.honolulu.hi.us/multimed/waikiki.asp>

Sunday – May 18, 2014

1 school bus, for morning, charter needed for afternoon pick up to Ala Moana

Morning Breakfast provided.

9:00am **Board School Bus for Diamond Head, an extinct volcano! The view from the pinnacle is spectacular!**

The 19th-century British sailors who came here were fooled by this crater's calcite crystals, thought they were diamonds and named the crater **Diamond Head**. Hawaiians once used the **761-foot summit** as a platform to light navigational fires to direct canoes offshore.

The military built an observation station on the summit in 1910 to spot ships off the southeastern coast of Oahu. The crater and tuff cone were formed by violent steam explosions 300,000 years ago. Today Diamond Head is recognized as a National Natural Landmark. A steep but short (less than a mile) trail takes hikers to the summit of the crater and offers a **spectacular 360-degree view of Honolulu and the coast**. A flashlight is handy for the long, dark tunnel encountered partway up the trail. The trail, built by the U.S. Army in 1906, includes 271 steps and a spiral staircase that leads to the observation post at the summit. Your hike to the top of Hawaii's most famous crater (Diamond Head) will take you through abandoned World War II bunkers, a long darkened tunnel and up 271 stairs including a spiral staircase through a bunker to the very top. Hike time should be about 1 and half hours to 2 hours (both ways). You will be rewarded for your hike with a spectacular view of the coastline of Honolulu and the beautiful city of Waikiki. Be sure to bring a flashlight, bottled water and your camera!

11:00am Board school bus for return to hotel.

12:00pm Board charter bus for the **Ala Moana Center. Lunch on your own at the center.**

Ala Moana Center is a premier international and local shopping destination with over 260 shops and restaurants. From beachwear to high fashion, casual dining to fine dining, you'll find everything at Ala Moana Center, all in a beautiful open-air setting filled with lush tropical landscaping and koi ponds.

Upon arrival, check in with Centerstage Manager regarding loading and set up times for your performance.

3:00-3:45pm **Perform at Ala Moana**

3:45-4:00pm Load out

4:00pm Board coach for return to hotel.

4:20pm Board Luau coach for a real **Hawaiian Luau!** (Meet in front of hotel, look for Luau escort in pink and white floral uniform)

You will be greeted with live Hawaiian music to set the festive mood of the evening. Casually stroll through the Hawaiian Village and learn the Arts & Crafts of the islands or test your skills at Hawaiian Games. After the delightful Shower of Flowers, participate in the Hukilau on the Beach and learn the net fishing techniques of old Hawaii. Witness the pageantry of the Royal Court Procession and the time-honored techniques of underground oven cooking at the Imu Ceremony.

The evening continues with a feast in the company of friends, old and new. Bring your appetite to fully enjoy a menu which tastefully blends the best of traditional Hawaiian dishes, local favorites and continental cuisine.

With the most spectacular Hawaiian sunset as a backdrop, students will observe and participate in the musical heritage of Hawaii. Performers will entertain and amaze you with an unforgettable display of songs and dances of Hawaii and Polynesia including native costumes, music, and instruments.

TBD Board Luau coach for return to hotel.

Monday – May 19, 2014

1 charter bus

Morning Breakfast provided.

8:30am Board charter coach for tour of the **North Shore**.

Winter months on the North Shore see a concentration of surfing activity, taking advantage of swells originating in the stormy North Pacific. Notable surfing spots include Waimea Bay and Haleiwa Beach Park.. The North Shore is considered to be the surfing mecca of the world, and every December hosts three competitions, which make up the Triple Crown of Surfing. Stop at Pali Lookout for fantastic panoramic views.

From there, you will head to Kualoa (Hollywood hotspot) for a stop at the **Macadamia Nut Farm** where you can get free samples of all the assorted flavors. We will also stop at the **Pali Lookout**, The Nuuanu Pali Lookout ("Cool Height Cliff") overlooking the 985 foot cliffs of the Koolau Mountain Range, is one of the best views on O'ahu. It was here in 1795 that King Kamehameha and his warriors defeated the O'ahu armies by sending them over these steep, forested cliffs and claiming his victory and uniting the Hawaiian Islands. The breathtaking sight and the gruesome history of the battle fought here is enough to cause a chill to run up your spine. Add to that the incredible winds that often pass through the Pali and you may be swept off your feet!

Box Lunch provided from **Papa Ole's** at **Kokololio beach**.

1:00pm Depart for **Polynesian Cultural Center**.

Polynesian Cultural Center
55-370 Kamehameha Highway
Laie, Hawaii

“Visit” Islands such as Samoa, New Zealand, Tonga, Fiji, Tahiti, Marquesas, and Hawaii. Learn how to make fire by rubbing sticks together, get a traditional tattoo, or learn a traditional Polynesian dance. Other activities include riding a canoe, or watching a movie in Hawaii’s largest IMAX theatre.

Buffet dinner followed by the show, “*Ha Breath of Life*”

From day one, 40 years ago, when the Polynesian Cultural Center opened, the evening show has been and remains the crowning moment of the PCC experience. *Ha Breath of Life* is Hawaii’s newest ancient story with a cast of more than 100 Polynesian performers will enchant you with their enthusiasm, grace, endurance and beauty. Return to hotel. Enjoy the afternoon on the beach or at the pool in the hotel.

9:30pm Board coach for return to hotel.

Tuesday – May 20, 2014

1 charter bus

Morning Breakfast provided.

TBD **Catamaran Snorkel** (approximately 15 minute walk from hotel)

You will sail along Oahu’s beautiful coastline and enjoy an ocean adventure in the Hawaiian tradition!

Let the trade winds take you as you sail along picturesque Waikiki Beach, Diamond Head Crater, and Black Point. Your trip includes an hour of snorkeling with snorkel, mask, floaties, kickboards and lifevests.

Students will learn marine science concepts through the opportunity to observe a variety of sea life and habitat in the Pacific Ocean off the coast of Hawaii through this educational eco-adventure cruise.

Lunch on your own.

TBD Return to hotel.

Afternoon free for beach activities and shopping.

Evening and dinner on your own.

Wednesday – May 21, 2014

1 charter bus

Morning Breakfast provided at the hotel. (Please plan on groups of 30 every 20 minutes)

8:15am Board charter coaches for **Pearl Harbor**

9:00am Arrive AZ Memorial. Go thru museums.

10:00am Reserved ticket time for Arizona Experience Move
Watch a 30 minute documentary, with actual footage filmed on that fateful Sunday morning of Dec 7, 1941.

PLEASE NOTE: Strict security measures at Pearl Harbor prohibit purses, handbags, fanny packs, backpacks, camera bags, diaper bags, luggage and/or other items that offer concealment. Visitors may bring a camera and cam-recorder. This policy includes visitors coming to the USS Arizona Memorial, USS Bowfin Submarine Museum & Park, the Battleship Missouri and the Pacific Aviation Museum. Security measures are strictly enforced at all visitor destinations on Pearl Harbor. Federal law enforcement officers and security bike patrols monitor the parking lots.

Then take a Naval Launch to the **USS Arizona Memorial** where the bodies of many fallen soldiers are still entombed. Your visit to Pearl Harbor will be a memorable experience that will give you a greater appreciation for those who are protecting our nation.

11:15am After Pearl Harbor, board USS Missouri shuttles to the **USS Missouri** for your **Tribute Performance**. You will have to go through Navy security again.

11:45am Have lunch on grassy lawn.

12:30-1:00pm Set up, warm up for performance.

1:00-1:30pm Performance on center pier.

1:30-1:45 End of performance and breakdown.

1:45-2:00pm After your performance take your group photo under Gun Turret #1

2:00-2:30pm **Self-guided tour of the USS Missouri.**

Students will have a once-in-a-lifetime experience offering their talents in tribute to those who have served our country. Performance skills will be highly utilized to adjust to the special environment at this historic site. Team and individual skills of cooperation, concentration, musical preparation and musical consistency will be needed to make this performance successful.

The *USS Missouri* was designed for speed and firepower, the keel of which was laid on January 6, 1941 at the New York Naval Shipyard. Its armament included the main battery of nine 16-inch guns and twelve 5-inch anti-aircraft guns. *(No backpacks, fanny packs, camera bags, etc. are allowed at the USS Missouri).*

The Missouri was the last battleship ever built. The nine 16-inch guns are the Mighty Mo's trademark feature. Each gun barrel is 65 feet long, weighs an incredible 116 tons, and can fire a 2,700-pound shell 23 miles in 50 seconds – with pinpoint accuracy.

The Missouri was part of the force that carried out bombing raids over Tokyo and provided firepower in the battles of Iwo Jima and Okinawa. The USS Missouri secured its place in history as the site of Japan's unconditional surrender to the Allied Forces on September 2, 1945, ending World War II.

2:30-2:45pm Board coaches for return to hotel

En-route back to your hotel, enjoy a tour of **Honolulu City and National Memorial Cemetery (Punchbowl Memorial).**

TBD Free time and Dinner on your own.

You may opt to walk to **King's Village for the Changing of the Guards** (every evening at 6:15 pm) or to Kuhio Beach for a hula show (Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday evenings)

One of the island's most unique and exciting visitor attractions is **King's Village**, depicting a section of Honolulu as it might have looked at the turn of the century. Visitors can stroll over the cobblestone path to discover over 45 enchanting shops and restaurants featuring thousands of items from Hawaii, as well as imports from around the world.

Behold the "**Changing of the King's Guard**" at **6:15 p.m. daily**. The world renowned King's Guard wear uniforms that are the exact replica of those worn by the Hawaiian Royal Palace Guard for King Kalakaua in 1875. Watch as they impress you with a spectacular rifle drill exhibition after retiring the Hawaiian Flag. This free show occurs at the front gate of King's Village.

TBD Return to hotel.

Thursday – May 22, 2014

1 charter bus in evening for airport transfer

TBD Breakfast provided. Check out of hotel.

10:00am Transfer to **Honolulu International Airport**...check luggage and equipment through the agricultural inspection station...group check in at ticket counter. Proceed to the proper departure gate.

1:05pm Flight Departs HNL

2:01am Arrive in El Paso **May 23, 2014.**

****PLEASE NOTE:***

The above itinerary is not confirmed until a deposit is received and vendors have been contacted.

All itineraries MUST remain flexible to allow for traffic, crowds, weather, AND reservation availability.

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