

7th Annual Hawai'i Island Seed Exchange

Saturday, June 13, 2009, 8:30 am–12:30 pm

Amy B. H. Greenwell Ethnobotanical Garden, Captain Cook

Farmers, gardeners, and plant lovers!

Come and share your gardening successes with others and help build community food self-reliance, biodiversity, and health! Please prepare and share your saved seeds, cuttings, roots, and keiki of food crops that do well in your gardens. Note: No potted plants will be allowed to prevent spreading the Little Fire Ant.

Educational presentations

Stories of the Moon Goddess Hina—Hi'ilani Shibata
Storing Food in the Landscape—Craig Elevitch
The Moon and Agriculture, Exploring Connections—
Hawai'i's Farmers and Gardeners

Event Schedule

7:30–8:30 Sign in and set up
8:30–9:30 Opening ceremony with Kumu Keala Ching and Ka Pā Hula Nā Wai Iwi Ola. This year's theme is "Moon and Agriculture—Relationships & Connections." Please bring a fruit or vegetable from your garden as an offering.
9:30–12:30 Networking, Seed Exchange, Agricultural Organizations presenting information for gardeners, and Youth Program.
10:00–12:30 Educational presentations
12:30 Closing ceremony

'O ka mahina ka māla, pili iho kākou!

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—Kumu Keala Ching



Share seed



Discover new food plants



Exchange knowledge

\$5 donation suggested

Plenty of free parking available (across from Manago Hotel)

Organic lunches by Lotus Café available for purchase 10:30–12:30

Label everything you bring to share and bring small envelopes for gathering seed. Remember, no potted plants.

Camping available on Friday, June 12. Space is limited, reservations required. RSVP lynnbell@hawaii.rr.com.

For more information, call Nancy Redfeather 322-2801 or e-mail nancyredfeather@hawaii.rr.com.

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