Hawaii State Library Celebrates its Centennial

awaii State Library, the flagship of the Hawaii State Public Library System, is currently celebrating its Centennial Anniversary through December 2013. The Library, located at 478 South King Street, opened on February 1, 1913. An historical exhibit about the Hawaii State Library is available for viewing in the First Floor Reading Room when the Library is open throughout the celebration. In addition to its regular Saturday morning Children's Storytimes in the Edna Allyn Room, the Library will offer special programs and new exhibits each month during its Centennial year.

Upcoming highlights for March include:

- Lobby exhibit for March: Crafts 'R' Us, presented by HSL staff in support of National Crafts Month
- Mar. 21, 6 p.m. Ho'omaika'i Concert Series: Na Mele o Hawaii. The Hawaii Youth Opera Chorus, under the direction of Nola A. Nahulu, will perform choral and vocal music in the Lobby.
- Mar. 23, 11:30 a.m. An Introduction to Quilts presented by MaryAnn Bufalini of Hawaii Quilt Guild; First Floor Reading Room
- Mar. 30, noon Na Mele o Suzuki of Hawaii violin performance in the Lobby

The Holo I Mua will announce more special programs and exhibits scheduled for the Hawaii State Library's Centennial Anniversary Celebration in upcoming issues.



The Royal Hawaiian Band performed on the front lawn of the Hawaii State Library February 1 to kick off the Library's year-long Centennial Anniversary Celebration. The Royal Hawaiian Band, an agency of the City and County of Honolulu, also performed for the opening of the Library 100 years ago on February 1, 1913.



Cosplay Costumes @ Hawaii State Library

Anime and Manga fans are invited to see cosplay costumes of popular female characters (I-r) Kou Shuurei of Saiunkoku Monogatari ("The Story of Saiunkoku" series) and the Baroness of "G.I. Joe" made by HSL staff, as well as other crafts on display this month.

New Aiea Public Library Groundbreaking Set for March 16

he Hawaii State Public Library System (HSPLS) will conduct a groundbreaking ceremony for the new Aiea Public Library on Saturday. March 16 at 10 a.m., on the site of the old Aiea Sugar Mill. Governor Neil Abercrombie and other invited dignitaries are scheduled to attend the ceremony.



The new 17,200 square foot replacement Library was designed by CDS International and will replace the existing 10,000 square foot Library at 99-143 Moanalua Road that opened in 1964. The new Library is expected to achieve LEED Silver Certification and will be highly sustainable with features including a high efficiency air-conditioning system, 6,000 square feet of photovoltaic panels, natural daylight harvesting to minimize use of artificial lighting, motion sensors, and a light-dimming system.



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Wahiawa Public **Library Expands Service Hours**

Follows Kaimuki and Kalihi-Palama Libraries' Lead

ahiawa Public Library will become the third Oahu library to add another day of service beginning the week of March 4 when it adds Saturdays and Wednesday evenings to its public service schedule. The Library has revised its current public service hours, adding Saturday hours from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; a third consecutive day of evening hours, opening Wednesdays from noon to 8 p.m.; and two additional hours on Friday, opening from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Library, located at 820 California Avenue, will be moving from a Monday through Friday to a Tuesday through Saturday schedule. Kaimuki and Kalihi-Palama Public Libraries increased from five to six days of service in December 2012.

"The new public service schedule accommodates working parents who can now bring their children to the Library on Saturdays, as well as other patrons who are unable to visit

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Big Island Public Library Increases Hours

ahala Public and School Library (Big Island) increased its public service hours effective Monday, February 4. The Library, located at 96-3150 Pikake Street on the campus of Kau'u

High and Pahala Elementary Schools, will be open on Monday, Thursday,

local authors.

and Friday from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Library is closed on Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday, and Sunday. For information about the Library's programs and services, please call 928-2015.



Hawaii State Public Library System

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Public Librarian of Year and Award Winners Honored

he Friends of the Library of Hawaii (FLH) and cosponsor Native Books Na Mea Hawaii honored Patrick McNally, Head of the Hawaii State Library's Hawaii and Pacific (HSL H & P) Section, as the 2012 Public Librarian of the Year, and **Berry** Andelin as the 2012 Excellence in Service (EIS) Award winner in a reception and awards ceremony at the Hawaii State Library during the Friends' annual meeting.



Patrick McNally, Public Librarian of the Year (back row, 3rd from right), Berry Andelin, Excellence in Service Awardee (back row, 4th from right), and Iris Wiley, FLH Volunteer of the Year (front row, 4th from right), were joined in the celebration by State Librarian Richard Burns (front row, 2nd from left), and FLH officials (I-r) Carol Schaafsma, Sally Harper, Marcia Gross, Allene Suemori, Wanda Adams, Marlene Booth, Byrde Cestare, Lynnae Lee, and Susan Li.

McNally, who has worked for more than 20 years at HSL's H & P Section, began his career with the Hawaii State Public Library System (HSPLS) in 1990. McNally said he loves his job because he works with "local material to help local folks," Andelin, a Library Assistant at the new Manoa Public Library, is a multiple-year EIS nominee, first with Kaimuki Public Library and now Manoa Public Library, has worked for HSPLS for eight years. She loves interacting with patrons and has created "Best Books" lists including those about Hawaii written by

The winners received a gift card from Native Books Na Mea Hawaii, and Makana Akamai certificates to purchase books for their respective libraries. Library patrons and staff

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All public libraries will be closed: March 26 – Prince Kuhio Day Holiday March 29 – Good Friday Holiday Visit www.librarieshawaii.org or call your local library for public service hours.

April 14-20 – National Library Week 2013: "Communities Matter @ your library" theme. All libraries will host free special events during the month of April. Renowned Celtic Harp player Patrick Ball as well as noted artists and performers from the University of Hawaii's Statewide Cultural Extension Program, will be featured at selected libraries. See the Holo I Mua April issue or HSPLS website for more information.

Manoa Public Library Awarded Prestigious LEED Gold Certification

anoa Public Library has been awarded the coveted Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Gold Certification established by the U.S. Green **Building Council**

(USGBC) and verified by the Green Building Certification Institute. The joint announcement by the Hawaii **State Public Library System** (HSPLS) and the Department of Accounting and General Services (DAGS) is the result of both agencies' cooperative efforts to ensure that the new Manoa Public Library is now a LEED Gold building.

LEED[®] is the nation's preeminent program for the design, construction and operation of high performance green buildings.

"Manoa Public Library, which opened on June 9, 2012, is the first Oahu library to be honored with a LEED Gold Certification." said State Librarian Richard Burns. "Manoa Public Library and North Kohala Public Library on the Big Island, the first HSPLS library to achieve LEED Gold Certification, are outstanding examples of future public libraries in Hawaii."

Manoa Public Library is a \$10.3 million, 29,425-square-foot library located at 2716 Woodlawn Drive, the site of the original library. Designed by architect Gary Kawakami of Architecture Plus, Inc., the Library achieved LEED Gold certification for energy, lighting, water and materials use as well as for incorporating a variety of other sustainable strategies.

"Manoa Public Library's LEED Gold Certification demonstrates tremendous green building leadership," said Rick Fedrizzi, President, CEO & Founding Chair of the U.S. Green



Building Council. "The urgency of USGBC's mission has challenged the industry to move faster and reach further than ever before, and Manoa Public Library serves as a prime example with just how much we can accomplish."

"Under the leadership and vision of Governor Abercrombie's energy efficiency initiatives outlined in his New Day in Hawaii Plan, we are very excited to learn that the Manoa Public Library project was awarded LEED Gold Certification," said Comptroller Dean H. Seki of DAGS. "This significant achievement demonstrates the State's commitment to lead by example in environmental and social responsibility for sustainability and conservation. These achievements bring the State closer to our goal of 70 percent clean energy by 2030, which includes 30 percent for our Energy Efficiency Portfolio target. We look forward to the new library being a wonderful part of the Manoa community."

LEED certification of Manoa Public Library is a third party verification based on a number of green design and construction features that positively impact the project itself and the broader community. These features include: 48 photovoltaic solar panels capable of generating 16.6 percent of the Library's energy usage; a highefficiency air-conditioning system; use of carbon dioxide sensors to help the air-conditioning system adjust the amount of outside air needed to keep fresh air levels safe; a 3,000 gallon rainwater catchment tank capable

of providing all the water needed to sustain outdoor landscaping; and all plants outside the Library are either endemic, indigenous to Hawaii, or canoe plants (brought to Hawaii by the ancient Hawaiians).

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the library during the week," said State Librarian Richard Burns. "The expanded evening hours will also increase opportunities for access to the library and its collections for all community members."

Wahiawa Public Library's new public service schedule is: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from noon to 8 p.m.; Friday and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sunday and Monday, Closed.

For more information, please call the Library at 622-6345.

Your Tax Donation Helps Libraries

awaii taxpayers can make donations to benefit the Hawaii State Public Library System (HSPLS) just by checking a box located at the top of their state tax returns. Taxpayers can designate \$2.00 from an individual income tax return or \$4.00 from a joint return, for the Hawaii Public Libraries Fund. A total of \$71,890 was donated to Hawaii's public libraries in 2012, which enabled HSPLS to purchase books and other materials for patrons of all ages statewide.

"We invite all Hawaii taxpayers to take advantage of this easy and effortless opportunity to help your public libraries," said State Librarian Richard Burns. "Mahalo nui loa to everyone who donated last year and we welcome your continuing support of Hawaii's public libraries this tax season."

Since January 2005, Hawaii taxpayers have donated \$638,838 to the HSPLS Special Fund. Mahalo for your continuing support!



By Lauren Yamasaki, Young Adult & Senior Services Librarian, Aina Haina Public Library

Maggie Stiefvater THE RAVEN BOYS (Gr. 7-12) Blue comes from a family of psychics but has never been able to see ghosts. One night she encounters the ghost of a boy who is destined



to die within the year, which means one of two things-either he is Blue's true love or she is the one who killed him.

Darren Shan ZOM-B

(Gr. 7-12) Just like her abusive racist father. B joins a group of rough friends. However, when zombies attack the high school, B is



zoo. State Senators Clayton Hee and Jill Tokuda, and Representatives Ken Ito and Jessica Wooley, presented a congratulatory proclamation from the State Legislature to Branch Manager Cindy Chow during the celebration's opening ceremony.

forced to make allegiances with anyone brave enough to fight off their pursuers.

Cory Doctorow **PIRATE CINEMA** (Gr. 9-12) Sixteenyear-old Trent makes movies by remixing copyrighted footage. As a result, his family's internet

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privileges are revoked so Trent joins a group of activists who are fighting to free the internet for creative use.

Jasper Fforde THE LAST DRAGONSLAYER (Gr. 7-10) Jennifer runs an employment agency for magicians

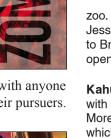
in a world where magic

is fading away. When she is named the Last Dragonslayer, Jennifer wonders whether taking down the world's last dragon is really a good idea.





Chairman Wilson Kekoa Ho.



SON (Gr. 7-10) Claire is a Birthmother in a conformist society. After Claire gives birth, a work reassignment prevents her from

seeing her son.



Library Awards, from front page

nominate the recipients and the awardees are chosen by an FLH committee. Iris Wiley, a former FLH President and long-time member, was also honored by the Friends as the 2012 Volunteer of the Year.

Kaneohe and Kahului Public Libraries Celebrate 50 Years



Multiple Grammy and Na Hoku Hanohano Award-winning slack key guitarist Jeff Peterson was a featured performer at Kaneohe Public Library's 50th Anniversary Celebration on January 27. More than 500 people attended the day-long event including 84 at Peterson's outstanding lecture-demonstration which showcased the Maui native's unique slack key guitar style. Other featured performers and events included renowned Native Hawaiian storyteller Lopaka Kapanui, award-winning magician and balloon artist Kelvin Chun. Douglas Pooloa Tolentino and his band Paahana, and a popular petting

Kahului Public Library celebrated its 50th Anniversary with special performances and events on February 9. More than 800 people attended the day-long celebration which featured performances by Grammy and Na Hoku Hanohano Award-winning slack key guitarist Jeff Peterson; storytellers Peter and Melinda Wing; Maui Taiko; and Au's Shaolin Arts Society. Maui County Council Member Don Guzman (right) presented a congratulatory Mayoral Proclamation to Branch Manager Sana Daliva during the opening ceremony. The Library, which opened on Feb. 9, 1963, is the largest public library on Maui.



Waimanalo Library Celebrates 35 Years of Service

Waimanalo Public & School Library celebrated its 35th Anniversary with special performances, children's activities, and photo displays on February 27. Nearly 300 people attended the evening celebration which featured

performances by Halau Hula `O Kawaiho`omalu and Fun Fun the Clown. Joining Branch Manager Cora Eggerman (center) for the Library's Jade Anniversary Celebration were (I-r) State Librarian Richard Burns, Sandy Akana (Library's first branch manager), Public Libraries Branch Director Stacie Kanno, and Waimanalo Neighborhood Board Photo courtesy of Waimanalo Public & School Library