



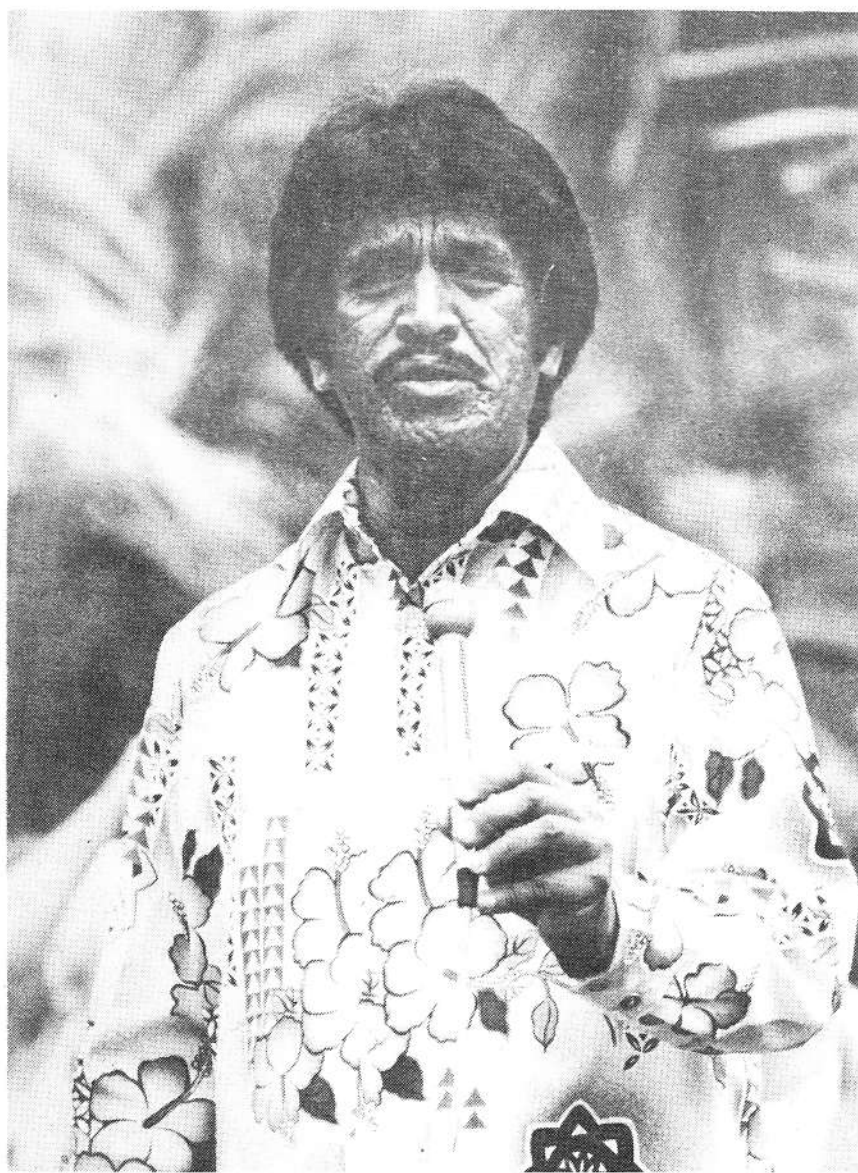
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## Kamehameha Day

## Today



Chief Waioha of the Hawaiian Village, host for today's celebrations respecting King Kamehameha.

The Center Kamehameha Day Program today will feature the Hui Hooulu Aloha halau, which is the PCC's own team of dancers.

Host for the day is Chief Waioha of the Hawaiian Village. He has announced the following program:

Poi Pounding hourly from 10:30 am.

Net throwing from 10:00am until 1:45 pm. This will be performed in the lagoon between the Hawaiian and Tahitian villages.

Lei Making.

Hula Dancing from 10:00 am until 1:45 pm.

Lauhala Weaving.

Uliuli Making.

Other activities such as konane and ulu maika will also be offered for guests to try.

The Kamehameha Day program will begin in the Hawaiian Village at 1:45 pm with a processional representing the alii of old Hawaii and princesses for each of the major Hawaiian islands.

The Canoe Pageant at 3:30 pm will feature decorated canoes.

# NEWS

## Personnel Staff Personable

Meet the Personnel Office staff.

Housed in the same area of the Snow Administration Building, the Personnel Office handles all details pertaining to employee benefits and concerns on the job.

This office also has a list of visitor attractions in Hawaii as well as on the mainland which participate in a mutual exchange program of offering employee discounts. This means that you can receive a discount on your admission ticket to Disneyland and other places.

## Happy Birthday!

Romeo Selfaison	June 11
Liwiana Ramon	11
Teu Fainifo E Tuati Tuna	12
Violani Ikuvalu	12
Akiko Morita	12
Russell Moeai	13
Susan Toon	13
Pane Meatoga	14
Charlotte Ferguson	14
Kanae Kiyofuji	14
Folole Tofa	15
Alefandro Soleta	15
James Bettridge	15
Laulea Nuku	15
Mafi Sua	16
Edison Isaac	16
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## Update

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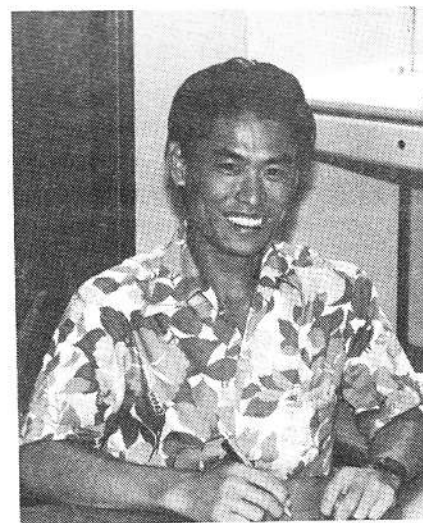
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Supervisor



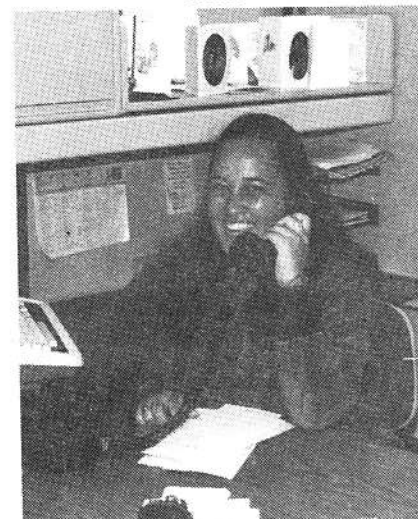
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Uha Tuifua  
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Jessica Fernandez  
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# NEWS

## New "Committee" on the Job!



PCC's "official tasting committee" was present on opening day to check out Da Kau Kau's menu. Notice is given to all departments that this committee is available for all such duties. -- Just call Wilda for scheduling!

## Cultural Research Corner

### DID YOU KNOW THAT ...

The Hawaiian kapu system had rules pertaining to clothing. It was a general rule that it was not right to wear the clothing of anyone other than kin.

A daughter's clothes could be worn by the mother, but not the mother's by the daughter. This same rule applied between aunts and nieces. In some parts of Hawaii it was not good for the mother and daughter to wear material with the same printed design.

Contestants sometimes exchanged loin cloths. If the contest demonstrated equality in skill and if each admired the other, such exchange indicated that they had accepted each other as brothers.

## New Appointment



Grace Edmonds is the new Trainer's Aide for the Village Operations department.

As such, she meets with representatives from each of the areas within the department on a regular basis.

## Introducing:



## Elder Jacob de Jager

Elder Jacob de Jager was called to be a member of the First Quorum of Seventy of the Church, April 3, 1976.

Soon after he was named Area Supervisor for the Church in Southeast Asia and the Philippines. He earlier had served three years as a Regional Representative of the Council of the Twelve.

He was born January 16, 1923, in The Hague, Netherlands. As a young man, he became proficient in the English, French, Spanish and Malaysian languages, as well as his native Dutch.

He served as an interpreter for the Canadian Army in Europe, and later was a welfare officer with the Dutch Expeditionary Forces in the Dutch East Indies.

Until his calling to be a full-time General Authority of the Church, Elder de Jager had been with Phillips Electronic Industries, serving the company in Indonesia, Canada, Mexico and Turkey, as well as the Netherlands. He rose to a position as vice president.

Elder de Jager and his wife, Bea, were converted to the Church in 1960. They have one son and one daughter.



# EDITORIAL

## Kahuku Class of '82 Graduates in Center



The Center once again turned its facilities over to the graduating class of Kahuku High School for Commencement exercises.

Nearly two hundred graduates marched in the school's colors of red and white in a colorful ceremony on the Center's main theater stage.

The theater was full as friends and families of the students gathered to wish the graduates well. Such community events are part of the Center's contribution to the people of Laie-Hauula-Kahuku and other areas of the windward coast.

## NOTICE

Memo: From Cultural Education Services

Every summer we teach the songs and dances of the Pacific to the children of employees. The program is FREE.

To enroll your elementary and high school girls and boys just call ext 3118. The schedule of classes for this summer is as follows:

**Wednesday June 23, 1982:**

8:00 am to 9:00 am Hawaiian.  
12:30 pm to 1:30 pm Tahitian  
3:30 pm to 4:30 pm Tongan

**Thursday June 24 1982:**

8:00 am to 9:00 am Samoan  
12:30 pm to 1:30 pm Maori  
3:30 pm to 4:30 pm Fijian

**Friday June 25 1982:**

8:00 am to 9:00 am Hawaiian  
12:30 pm to 1:30 pm Tahitian  
3:30 pm to 4:30 pm Tongan

**Saturday June 25 1982:**

8:00 am to 10:00 am Filipino

**Note: Entrance is through Gate 4. All classes are held in the old theater, and depending on the attendance during this first week, will continue through the summer.**

## Employee of the Month



Meet Mele Tuua, the Village Operations Employee of the Month for the month of May.

Born in Auckland, New Zealand, Mele is half Tongan and half Samoan. Her family moved to San Diego when she was 4 years old, and in 1980 she came to Hawaii to attend school at BYU-Hawaii.

She worked in the Gateway Restaurant before moving to Village Operations, and loves working in the Center.

"I didn't know anything about either of my two cultures before I came here," she says. "Now I know both." She enjoys working with the other employees in her department, and comments: "Vendy is my favorite!"

Mele has a warm and outgoing personality that makes her well-liked by her fellow employees. Update joins Mele's supervisors and co-workers in sending her our congratulations.