

NĀ 'ŌIWI NYC presents:
FROM THE BIG ISLAND TO THE BIG APPLE
A MOTHER'S DAY CELEBRATION WITH
TRADITIONAL HAWAIIAN MASTER WEAVER, MUSICIAN AND STORYTELLER
SAM KAMA AND 'OHANA

SATURDAY, MAY 8TH, 2010
CULTURAL WORKSHOPS 10:00AM-5:00PM
POTLUCK PA'INA 7:00PM-9:00PM



Aloha from the Big Island of Hawai'i! Sam Kama and 'Ohana kick off the 2010 Pasifika month at AICH! Sam Kama is an accomplished Hawaiian slack-key guitar player having studied under legendary masters Gabby Pahinui and Raymond Kāne. Sam was born in Honolulu and will be in New York for the first time presenting cultural workshops he's shared with children and schools throughout Hawai'i through his community organization *Apopo O Na Kamali'i* or The Children of Tomorrow. He will be offering his popular hands-on *lau niu* (coconut frond) and *lau hala* (pandanus) weaving workshops. Participants will learn how to weave and learn about the historic uses of these indigenous materials and crafts in Hawai'i. In addition to weaving, *lei* making, *hula*, *ipu 'ole*, and *'ukulele* workshops will also be offered. Make your very own special Mother's Day gift whether it be a *papale* (hat), *'ohana* (family) bowl, or *lei*. The workshops will culminate with a potluck pa'ina (party) featuring Sam and 'Ohana sharing Hawaiian stories through music, song, chant and dance.

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Choose from four distinct and unique workshops whether ***lau niu* (coconut frond) weaving, *lauhala* (pandanus) weaving, Ti-leaf & *Hili Haku* and *Ipu 'Ole* workshops.** Each workshop is \$50 which includes the cost of materials from Hawai'i. Save \$10 towards each additional workshop when signing up for more than 1 workshop. Sign up for 4 workshops and receive 1 free workshop. **Hula and 'ukulele workshops: \$30.** \$20 rental 'ukuleles available, to purchase an 'ukulele please inquire with Nā 'Ōiwi NYC.

POTLUCK PA'INA TO FOLLOW 7:00PM-9:00PM

LIVE SLACK-KEY GUITAR, HULA DANCING, TALK STORY AND FOOD.
DONATION: \$10

LOCATION: AMERICAN INDIAN COMMUNITY HOUSE
11 BROADWAY NEW YORK, NY 10004 (212) 598-0100

For pre-registration and more details please e-mail naoiwinyc@gmail.com. Pre-registration received by May 1st will receive a \$5 discount or pay the full amount the day of the workshop. CASH ONLY. Follow Nā 'Ōiwi NYC on Facebook. Mahalo nui loa!