

ONIPA'A

Aloha 'Aina, Malama 'Aina Art & Poetry Exhibit

January 14 to February 14, 2010

Samuel Manaiakalani Kamakau Room Hawaii State Library Downtown Honolulu, diamond head side of 'Iolani Palace

Opening & Award Ceremony Saturday, January 16, 2010, 1-4pm Courtyard Area, Hawaii State Library

Join Master of ceremonies Palani Vaughn, keynote speaker Haunani Kay Trask, activist and musician Skippy Ioane and talented keiki artists and writers at the opening of this art exhibit. Awards ceremony and readings will be part of the opening.

January 17, 2010 marks the 117th anniversary of the 1983 overthrow of the Hawaiian Kingdom. Queen Lili'uokalani relinquished her throne, turning her authority over to the president of the United States in order to avoid any bloodshed. Queen Lili'uokalani spent the remainder of her life being steadfast, 'onipa'a, in her efforts to restore the Kingdom of Hawai'i, and the rights of her people. We remember her today for her legacy of unwavering love of her people and her beloved country.

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