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**To:** December 1st 2023 Get-Together <december1st2023get-together@groups.outlook.com>

**Subject:** Message 2 of 2: Remaining Information for Our December 1st Meeting at Hawaii Pacific University Aloha Tower Marketplace Campus

Aloha, and here we happily are less than 24 hours before our Get-Together at HPU! In you registered for Zoom (mostly off-island folks) then you will have already received the information for log on. If not, please contact George as soon as possible at 808-683-8402.

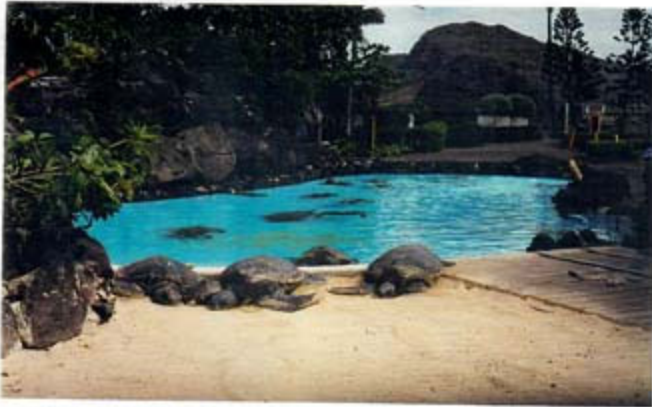
We will convene at 9am tomorrow morning in room number **MPR-4** at HPU Aloha Tower Marketplace Campus. Coffee and pastries will be available starting ~830am. MPR-4 is next door to the e-sports arena.

We will take a short break at 1030am. The meeting will end at 1230pm (please scroll down to see yesterday's message 1of 2 below).

If there is agreement among the participants, we plan to record the meeting for the historical record. We will not actively distribute the recording, but we will make it available to any of the participants that might like to have it.

Thierry, Brenda, and George will see you and greet you soon, In the Spirit of Aloha.

## ARTIFICIAL LAGOON AND NESTING BEACH AT SEA LIFE PARK ON OAHU



PRE-ACT GREEN TURTLES AT THIS DISPLAY FACILITY HAVE PRODUCED HATCHLINGS ANNUALLY SINCE 1976. MOST ARE IMMEDIATELY RELEASED INTO THE WILD. HOWEVER, A SMALL NUMBER ARE CAPTIVE-REARED AS PART OF A UNIQUE EDUCATIONAL LOAN PROGRAM FOR QUALIFYING AQUARIA IN HAWAII, CANADA AND THE USA.



Message 1 of 2 Sent Yesterday-

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**From:** George Balazs <itsahonuworldinhawaii@hotmail.com>

**Sent:** Thursday, November 30, 2023 8:08 AM

**To:** December 1st 2023 Get-Together <december1st2023get-together@groups.outlook.com>

**Subject:** Message 1 of 2: Updated Information for Our December 1st Meeting at Hawaii Pacific University Aloha Tower Marketplace Campus

We are excited and highly satisfied as to how the December 1<sup>st</sup> meeting plans are unfolding! Please find updated information below. Our Message 2 of 2 will be sent to you tomorrow 11/30 Thursday morning.

-We are expecting 24 people in person and 11 on Zoom (35 total).

-We will start at 9am (Hawaii Standard Time) as originally planned. We will have coffee and pastries available at 830am. The conference room number will be provided in Message 2 of 2. The meeting will now end at 1230pm (instead of 3pm). We feel this will give ample time to 'tell the stories', ask questions, and exchange information of our past involvements (1976-2022) in the many aspects of Sea Life Park's Hawaiian green turtle captive breeding program. We suspect that many will lunch together after adjourning at 1230pm, hence we will have more time to talk in smaller groups, including renewing old friendships and making new friends.

-The morning will start off at 9am with a Hawaiian Blessing by Ethan No'eau Souza, seeking peace, safety, Aloha, and success in our lives and for Hawaii's honu.

- We will offer a 15 min break at ~1030am.

- No-cost parking vouchers will be available.

-We will pay equal attention to those on Zoom so that fair and equitable time-and-attention treatment happens for all.

-George Balazs' cell is 808-683-8402. Please don't hesitate to call if needed.

Please watch for our Message 2 of 2 tomorrow morning HST 11/30.

With Appreciation, See you soon, Brenda, Thierry, and George

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