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**Get ready for the “The Greatest Show on Earth”
at the 2019 Punahou Carnival**

HONOLULU, Hawai‘i (Dec. 6, 2018) – Punahou School invites people of all ages to visit “The Greatest Show on Earth” for two days of family fun at the Punahou Carnival. Fresh malasadas, mango chutney, kiddie games, E.K. Fernandez rides, White Elephant treasures and live musical entertainment are among the many treats that draw fans each year to the Punahou Carnival. Proceeds support the School’s financial aid program.

“It’s great to see our students lead the way in presenting the Punahou Carnival, a tradition that offers something for the entire family while supporting the School’s financial aid program,” said Lee Ann Ichimura, Carnival coordinator. “The Class of 2020, parents, alumni, faculty, staff and friends of the School work tirelessly to create an event the whole community can enjoy.”

Admission to the Punahou Carnival is free, and scrip will be available for purchase throughout the Carnival grounds. Similar to last year, E.K. Fernandez will utilize a Fun Pass for all rides and E.K. Fernandez games and food. Parking is available on campus on a first-come, first-served basis. Paid parking is generally available at nearby community institutions.

The annual two-day event helps to support the nearly 700 students at Punahou School who benefit from its need-based financial aid program. The Punahou Carnival is a tradition that dates back to 1932.

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FACTS AT A GLANCE:

- WHEN: Friday, Feb. 1 and Saturday, Feb. 2, 2019
11 a.m. – 11 p.m. each day
- WHERE: Punahou School
1601 Punahou Street
Honolulu, HI 96822
*Entrance at the corner of Punahou St. and Wilder Ave.
- WHO: Hosted by Punahou's Class of 2020
Coordinated and staffed by Punahou volunteers, including students, faculty, staff, parents and alumni
- PARKING: There is limited parking on campus. Paid parking is generally available at nearby community institutions. The Carnival is also accessible by city buses 4, 5 or 18.
- COST: Admission to the grounds is free. Scrip is available for purchase onsite throughout Carnival. E.K. Fernandez will utilize a Fun Pass for all rides and E.K. Fernandez games and food.
- PHOTOS: High-resolution photos available for download: <https://punahou.link/2TOsjCS>

For more Carnival information, go to www.punahou.edu/carnival.

About Punahou School

Punahou School in Honolulu, Hawai'i is the largest coeducational, independent K –12 school on a single campus in the United States. With nearly 3,750 students, the School enrolls a student body that reflects the ethnic and socio-economic diversity of Hawai'i. Punahou promotes a vigorous approach to academics, affords wide-ranging opportunities in athletics and the arts, and advances the use of technology in the classroom. Beyond excellent scholars, the School seeks to develop engaged global citizens who can contribute to positive change in the world.

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