

# Aloha, Fairlee Creek! By Kepi Sabol

A fun-filled Luau was held at Great Oak Marina, Fairlee Creek, on Saturday, July 7, 2007.

54 members from the following 23 boats were in attendance

Adventure Bound  
Big E Nuf  
Callisto  
Carpe Ventum  
Champagne  
Contigo  
Destiny  
Fly Away  
Mast Confusion  
Mosella  
Narsilion  
Off The Charts



Padozary  
Paisano  
Phoenix Fire  
Satisfaction  
Sena’Nuff  
Silent Running  
Sun Runner  
Tomorrow Came  
Windkist 4  
Windsprint  
Xtasea

All of the guests learned their Hawaiian names and wore colorful leis. The day started with a foursome enjoying the nine-hole course at Great Oak Landing.

We never did hear who actually won the game!



A group of dedicated and dependable boat captains helped in the early hours to set up tables to be sure that the best area in the marina was reserved for the NSHSA Luau. It was worth the sacrifice because there were several on-lookers throughout the day who wanted the spot. Mahalo to each of you! A special Mahalo to Mary (S/V Sun Runner) who worked so hard throughout the day with organizing and running for those last minute provisions.



An 80 pound roasted pig was the center piece of our dinner together. Of course, there were plenty of pig leftovers for the guests to enjoy back on their boats. A special Mahalo is sent to Steve (S/V Sun Runner) and Maria (S/V

Mosella) for their expert carvery. By the way, “pig” carving is much more delicate than turkey carving, and they knew what they were doing! Each guest brought delicious Hawaiian



style appetizers, sides and desserts. Fresh, hot and “Salt Free-Mea Culpa” corn on the cob was boiled on the spot. Five dozen to be exact! Mahalo to all of those corn huskers! Nothing was left behind!



The tables were hand-colored by our younger crew members with beautiful palm trees, pineapples and lots of “Alohas”. A fresh pineapple was the center piece of each picnic table. A hula-hoop contest was held for our young crew, and prizes were given to each of them. The adults graciously backed out of the hula-hoop contest. Surprise, Surprise!

