



Hawaii Floriculture & Nursery Association (HFNA)
P.O. Box 5640 * Hilo, Hawaii 96720

HFNA 2025 Fresh Look Expo
Schedule of Events

Thursday, October 23, 2025

Lobby * Hilo Hawaiian Hotel

- 7:30 a.m. Registration / meet vans for **Nursery Tour**
8:00 a.m. Vans leave hotel for nursery tour
Green Point Nurseries * Hilo Orchid Farm Hawaii * Plant Group Hawaii *
Hawaiian Sunshine Nursery * Bromeliads Hawaii *
4:00 p.m. Vans return to hotel
6:00 p.m. **Networking Pupu Reception – Hilo Yacht Club**
(dinner on your own)

Friday, October 24, 2025

Lili'uokalani Gardens, Hilo

- 8:00 a.m. Registration for **Fresh Look Expo 2025**
8:30 – 9:30 *“Japanesque Hawaiian Floral Inspiration”*, Hitomi Gilliam AIFD
9:45 – 10:45 *“The Spirit of Ganbatte!”*, Lois Hiranaga AIFD
11:00 – 12:00 p.m. *“Bridges Across the Pacific”*, Sue Tabbal-Yamaguchi AIFD, EMC
12:00 – 1:00 p.m. Lunch
1:00 – 2:00 pm *“The Art of Noah Harders”*, Noah Harders
2:15 – 3:15 pm *“Hanashi”*, Jody McLeod AIFD
3:15 – 5:30 p.m. Hands on Workshops
(dinner on your own)

Saturday, October 25, 2025

Lili'uokalani Gardens, Hilo

- 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 PM **Competition Pieces Building by Teams; Install in Garden Sites**
12:00 p.m. Lunch
1:00 – 3:00 p.m. **Installation Judging**
1:00 – 4:00 p.m. **Lei Making Workshop: Educators/Designers Lia & Kelsi Mercado**
6:00 p.m. **Aloha Luau Dinner & Competition Awards**, The Fairway Grill at Hilo Muni

Sunday, October 26, 2025

Lili'uokalani Gardens, Hilo

- 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Public tour of Garden Installations & Voting for People's Choice Award