

NAJA SHRINERS ULTIMATE HAWAIIAN ESCAPE

exploring Waikiki, Oahu & Maui



Departing February 7th 2019 for 9 days / 8 nights

Join Naja Shriners with 2022 Illustrious Sir Rick Holloway and his Lady Diana on this Hawaiian Adventure of a lifetime! With this fully escorted vacation you'll see some of the most breathtaking natural beauty in the world. With magnificent waterfalls, fiery volcanoes, lush green valleys and more, it's easy to see why many people call Hawaii paradise...so take a break and relax in Hawaii.

This state encompasses nearly the entire volcanic Hawaiian Island chain, which is made up of hundreds of islands spread over 1,500 miles (2,400 km). At the southeastern end of the archipelago, the eight "main islands" are (from the northwest to southeast) Ni'ihau, Kaua'i, O'ahu, Moloka'i, Lāna'i, Kaho'olawe, Maui, and Hawai'i. The last is by far the largest, and is often called the "Big Island" or "Big Isle" to avoid confusion with the state as a whole. This archipelago is physiographically and ethnologically part of the Polynesian subregion of Oceania.

There are several areas in Hawaii under the control and protection of the National Park Service. Two areas are designated as national parks: Haleakala National Park near Kula, Maui, includes Haleakala, the dormant volcano that formed east Maui; and Hawaii Volcanoes National Park in the southeast region of the island of Hawaii, which includes the active volcano Kilauea and its various rift zones. The climate of Hawaii is typical for a tropical area, although temperatures and humidity tend to be a bit less extreme than other tropical locales due to the constant trade winds blowing from the east. Summer highs are usually in the upper 80s °F, (around 31°C) during the day and mid 70s, (around 24 °C) at night.

Itinerary:

Day 1 – Thursday July 7th 2022

Today we depart for Oahu! Upon arrival in Honolulu, we are met and greeted with a beautiful traditional fresh Orchid Lei and transferred to our hotel for overnight. Our hotel is right on Waikiki Beach... The Westin Moana Surfrider... Our rooms are located in the Tower building and right on the beautiful beach with full ocean views!

Overnight Westin Moana Surfrider – No meals included - snacks on airline

Day 2 – Cruising and Fireworks

After a leisurely breakfast enjoy a free morning of time to shop and get acquainted with Waikiki. Relax on the beach, soak up the sun then late afternoon we will meet for our Dinner Cruise Spectacular! We Cruise aboard the high-tech, 140' Majestic. Outdoor viewing decks and large windows in the air-conditioned cabins provide for great sighting opportunities and views - tonight's highlight is watching the Waikiki fireworks show after sunset - what better place to view them than from the Bay. For dinner enjoy choice of entrees: garlic shiitake teriyaki chicken, Pacific catch of the day or Hawaiian rock salt-crusted pork with gravy. Also includes garden-isle salad, vegetable medley, white rice, mashed potatoes, Hawaiian sweet rolls and dessert. One complimentary welcome drink is also included, along with soda, coffee and tea. We return to our hotel after the tour.

Overnight Westin Moana Surfrider – Breakfast & Dinner included



Day 3 – Full Day Pearl Harbor

Today we visit Pearl Harbor & USS Missouri and a fully narrated tour of Honolulu's city highlights aboard a comfortable air-conditioned vehicle. We enjoy a guided tour of one of the most incredible battleships of the US Navy, the USS Missouri, which served from World War II to Desert Storm. We walk the decks and stand on the spot where Japan surrendered to the Allies. The Pearl Harbor Visitor Center, museums and bookstore are open as usual. We continue our tour to downtown Honolulu with views of Iolani Palace, King Kamehameha Statue and drive through serene Punchbowl National Cemetery of the Pacific. Lunch is not included, but there will be a stop to purchase lunch and a snack. Please note... swimsuits are not allowed on the Arizona Memorial and shoes must be worn. Due to heightened security, large camera bags, purses, or backpacks are not allowed at visitor center. Upon completion of the Pearl Harbor visit you will head downtown for a fully narrated tour of Honolulu's city highlights aboard a comfortable air-conditioned vehicle. After our tour the rest of the day and evening is yours free to explore.

Overnight Westin Moana Surfrider – Breakfast included

Day 4 – Traditional Luau this evening

After a leisurely breakfast it's time to explore Waikiki on your own. Tonight, it's time for the traditional Hawaiian feast - it is held on a private beach estate in west Oahu. Enjoy a Polynesian dinner, Hawaiian Shell Lei Greeting, unlimited soft drinks, coffee, tea, and one standard alcoholic beverage (per adult 21 years and older ID required) entertainment, and dancing.

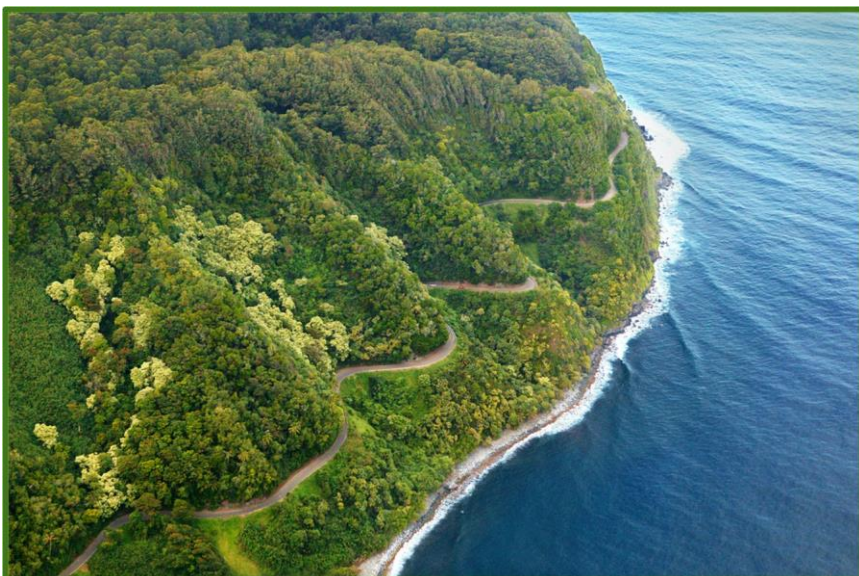
Overnight Westin Moana Surfrider – Breakfast & Dinner included

Day 5 - Flight to Maui then 6 wonderful free days to do EXACTLY as you wish

Alas it is time to leave the beautiful Island of Oahu behind, as we set our sights on the next portion of this trily amazing vacation....It is time for the fun on Maui to commence!! Upon arrival we coach transfer to the Kaanapali Beach hotel, full Ocean View Rooms, 5 night Stay Breakfast included each morning.

Join us on Maui, our favorite island, for six days of sun, beach, and fun. We will be staying right on Kaanapali Beach in West Maui. Kaanapali Beach is consistently voted one of the top beaches in Hawaii and in the United States. Beautiful sandy beaches, with mild surf, make this a great beach for swimming, paddle boarding, and snorkeling. In fact, some areas of Kaanapali Beach boast coral coverage of up to 80%, making it one of the top places to see tropical fish, octopus, sea turtles, and occasionally seals. Kaanapali Beach also offers shopping at Whalers Village, and it's only a short drive to the historic whaling town of Lahaina with shopping and lots of restaurants.

If you want to spend the full six days hanging out on the beach, you can do that! If you want to explore more of Maui, you can join us and travel to some of their favorite spots on Maui. For instance, how about a drive to Hana. The scenery and beauty of the island is showcased on this drive. Not only will you experience the twisty and curvy highway to Hana with all of its tropical rain forest, plants, black sand beaches, and waterfalls, but you will see why Hana is a special place of its own on the island. Rather than returning on the same highway, we will take you to west entrance to Haleakala National Park where we can hike through a bamboo forest to one of the tallest and most beautiful waterfalls on Maui. After we leave the park we will drive on the South end of the island, where most tourists do not go. As we drive the narrow and scenic roads, we move into Maui cattle country.

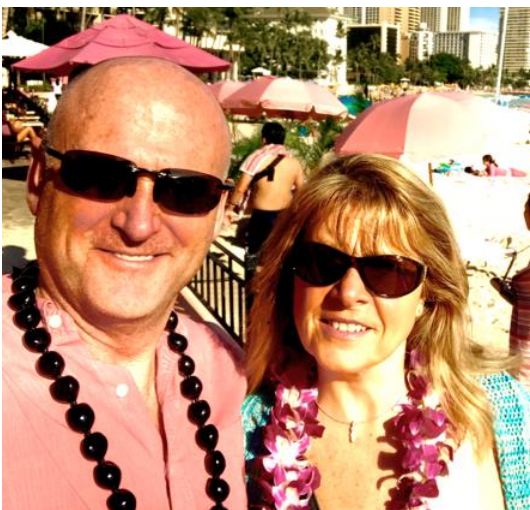


How about a day in the upcountry of Maui? Visit Haleakala National Park and look into the crater of a dormant – not extinct – volcano. Then stop at a lavender plantation for break and some shopping, before heading to the Ulupalakua Ranch for some great Maui Beef Burgers and for some wine tasting at Maui Wine.



Maui also has some of the best golf courses in Hawaii! We are staying right on the Kaanapali Beach Golf Course with majestic views of the ocean and the islands of Lanai and Molokai. Or we can travel a few short miles up the coast to the infamous Kapalua Plantation Course, home to the PGA TOUR's Sentry Tournament of Champions. If you want more snorkeling and turtles that what you can get on Kaanapali Beach, then a boat trip to the Molokini Crater is in order! We will take a trip on a chartered boat out to the Molokini Crater, a protected half-sunken volcano crater that has a spectacular coral reef system. After having a lunch on the boat and plenty of time to snorkel or snuba (combination of scuba and snorkeling), we make our way to Turtle Town, just off the southern beaches of Maui. There we will find sea turtles everywhere you look. Truly amazing. All of these adventures, or any other fun you find on Maui is all optional. We wanted to give you time to do as much or as little as you wanted while enjoying this truly amazing island paradise. We hope you can come with us and fall in love with the Maui we know.

Mahalo,



Rick and Diana

Check out July 16th – Coach Transfer to airport, overnight flight back to mainland arriving July 17th

Itinerary at a glance

Price: \$6,875 (pp based on double occupancy)

Starts: Thursday July 7th 2022

Ends: Sunday July 17th 2022

Whats included?

- Includes round trip flights from Rapid City, SD, all transfers & Lei Greeting
- 4 nights accommodations Moana Surfrider hotel FULL OCEAN VIEW ROOMS
- Breakfast Buffet each day
- Tour of the Arizona Memorial & the Battleship Missouri
- Traditional Hawaiian Dinner Feast with entertainment and dancing
- Sunset Dinner Cruise with Fireworks
- 5 nights accommodations Kaanapali Beach hotel FULL OCEAN VIEW ROOMS

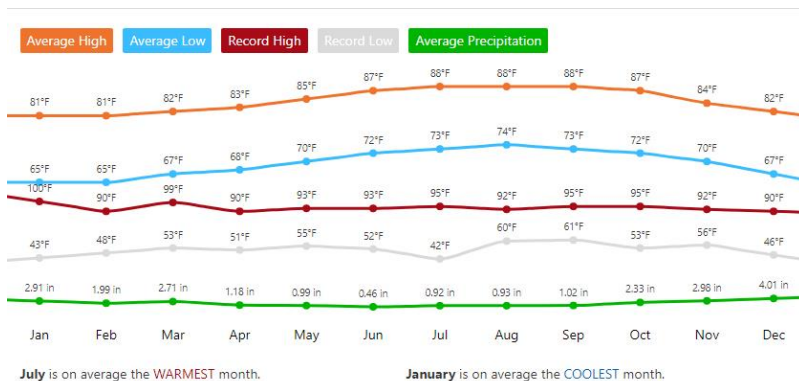
How to book

- Deposit \$750 per person due at time of booking. Further \$1,500pp due November 1st 2021.
- Final Balance due April 1st 2022 or at time of booking if after this date

What you'll need

- No Passport is required for this tour – just your picture ID / drivers license
- Camera for the beautiful sights plus Sunblock/tanning cream

Weather



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