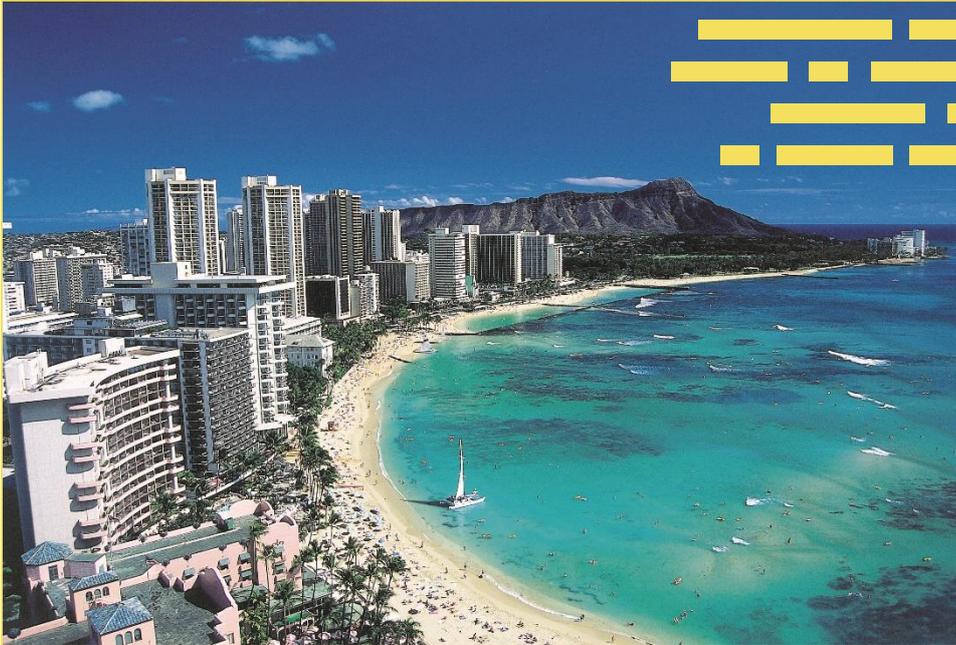


TRAVEL FOCUS TOURS

UKULELE HAWAII 2020



8 DAY HAWAIIAN HOLIDAY | 14–21 JUL 20 | Land PRICE \$3199* pp



The mission of the Ukulele Festival is to bring laughter, love and hope throughout Hawaii and the world through music. That is also our goal with this tour.

Touring, exploring, jam sessions, lessons and performances. This tour has it all!

INCLUSIONS

- Shuttle bus arrival and departure transfer when travelling on recommended flights
- Tour as per itinerary with Australian Tour Manager, Ukesista's Bonnie
- 7 nights accommodation including Resort Fees
- 7 breakfasts, 1 lunch and 3 dinners including a special luau experience
- Entry to the 50th Ukulele Festival
- Tour of the Koaloha Ukulele Factory
- Circle Tour of Oahu and Pearl Harbor
- Sunset Catamaran on Waikiki Beach
- Tour to Hanauma Bay
- Ticket to the official Ukulele Festival opening Gala Dinner
- Private jam sessions hosted by Bonnie

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

Centrally located accommodation. Carefully selected for value, location and quality

Visit famous Waikiki Beach

Attend the 50th Year Ukulele Festival

Koaloha Ukulele Factory Tour

North Shore "Full Circle tour" including a visit to Pearl Harbor

Authentic small group luau in a lush tropical jungle

Visit and group lesson at Roy Sakuma Ukulele Studios

Performance at Honolulu Zoo for the Wildest Show In Town Concert

Fundraising gala dinner at Sheraton Waikiki

Opportunity for shopping including Ala Moana Centre

Visit Diamond Head on a breathtaking walk

Snorkel, swim or sunbathe at famous Hanauma Bay

Enjoy a sunset catamaran on Waikiki beach for drinks and music

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TOUR ITINERARY

Tour Day 1: Tuesday 14th July

Arrival

Aloha! If travelling on our recommended flights you will depart Sydney, cross the International Date Line and land in Honolulu the same day before noon where you will be met and transferred by shuttle to the hotel.

Enjoy a welcome dinner this evening and get to know your fellow travelling companions.

Overnight: PARK SHORE HOTEL, WAIKIKI (D)



Tour Day 2: Wednesday 15th July

Group Lesson / Ukulele Factory Tour / Performance

After breakfast we will make our way to Roy Sakuma Ukulele Studios in Kaimuki for a 30-minute group lesson.

After this amazing experience we will head over to the Koaloha Ukulele Factory where you will have a chance to grab a quick bite to eat closeby (own expense) before our 1pm tour of the factory and a chance to look at some of the finest ukulele's in the world.

Late this afternoon we make our way to Honoulu Zoo where we will be performing 2 of our practised songs at the Wildest Show In Town Concert. This is a wonderful family event, with live performances, food booths and ukulele giveaways!

At the end of the day transfer back to the hotel.

Overnight: PARK SHORE HOTEL, WAIKIKI (B)



Tour Day 3: Thursday 16th July

Full circle tour of Oahu with Pearl Harbor visit

We have an early rise for the day today as we join the group for a full day tour of the best that Oahu has to offer starting with a visit to the historic Pearl Harbor. Visit the famous Dole Pineapple Plantation for a refreshing snack before continuing on to the laid back local rhythm of the North Shore. Drive through Waimea Bay and Sunset beach before stopping for your included lunch at the Hukilau marketplace.

After lunch we make our way to the surfing beaches and body surfing playgrounds that draw locals from all around the island. On our final stretch back toward Waikiki, we visit some natural wonders such as the Nuuanu Pali lookout and Halona Blowhole and Cove.

Our tour finishes with a descent toward Waikiki via the Eastern Shoreline, known for it's rugged volcanic beaches.

Overnight: PARK SHORE HOTEL, WAIKIKI (B, L)



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Tour Day 4: Friday 17th July

Waikiki

Enjoy a day discovering famous Waikiki Beach. Take a dip in warm, tropical waters or discover the many shops, boutiques, the International market place for delicious food and bargain clothing, or just watch the crowds ebb and flow around the surf culture of Honolulu's most famous beach. Perhaps we will get together for an impromptu jam session for those who wish to join in on a walk up the gorgeous Diamond Head!



This evening we make our way to the Sheraton Waikiki for the Gala Dinner and Fundraiser that officially kicks off the Golden Anniversary year of the Ukulele Festival. It is a gathering of Festival performers, ukulele makers and ukulele enthusiasts. Enjoy a delicious dinner buffet, great entertainment and an exciting silent auction of Ukulele items.



Overnight: PARK SHORE HOTEL, WAIKIKI (B, D)

Tour Day 5: Saturday 18th July

Hanauma Bay and Sunset Catamaran around Waikiki Beach

This morning we make our way to famous Hanauma Bay for a tour and you will have an opportunity to snorkel if you like.



The afternoon is free to enjoy before we reconvene for a final group practice lesson and session. We will then make our way to the harbor for a very memorable sunset. This is one Mai Tai you'll remember! You'll board barefoot from Waikiki Beach, then sail into the sunset sipping a fruity Mai Tai. Our catamaran crew will also be serving beer, wine, juices and soft drinks if you prefer. And, of course, plenty of water. This beautiful journey offers golden views of Diamond Head, Waikiki and Honolulu's cityscape, as the sun paints the sky and melts into the sea as we string together a Uke tune or 2 for our sail!

Overnight: PARK SHORE HOTEL, WAIKIKI (B, Drinks on our Catamaran)

Tour Day 6: Sunday 19th July

50th Ukulele Festival Day

50th Ukulele Festival Day – the festival runs from 10.30 am to 5.00 pm at the Kapiolani Park Bandstand. Enjoy a day filled with fun and share the joy of Ukulele players from all over the world.



Overnight: PARK SHORE HOTEL, WAIKIKI (B)

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Tour Day 7: Wednesday 22nd July

Day at leisure

Day at leisure to recover. Enjoy a lazy day on the beach after yesterday's events or perhaps enjoy an optional tour to The Polynesian Cultural Center, Waialeale Premium Outlets or even Kualoa Ranch for an ATV Adventure.

For our final evening, experience the warmth of the Hawaiian people and the genuine aloha spirit of an authentic luau at Nutridge Estate. Enjoy a lush tropical jungle setting where you will watch your final stunning Hawaiian sunset over the city and sea, dine on farm-to-table local cuisine, participate in activities, cultural workshops and games and be entertained by the art of the hula and fire dancers and enjoy the music of the ukulele. A wonderful way to celebrate the last week we have spent together.

Overnight: PARK SHORE HOTEL, WAIKIKI (B, D)



Tour Day 8: Friday 24th July

Departure

Check out and have a final look around Waikiki before heading to the airport for your flight back to Sydney.

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WHAT WE LOVE ABOUT THIS TOUR

- The hotel has been selected for location and value for money. We know that the hotel stay can be just as important as the destination!
- Small group size: No more than 22 passengers
- The tour includes many “behind the scenes” and “once-in-a-lifetime” experiences
- This is a joyous tour for like-minded musical enthusiasts – ranging from experienced ukulele players to novices
- We love the passion and enthusiasm that your Tour Leader Bonnie has for the ukulele, Hawaii and life!



TOUR EXCLUSIONS

- Gratuities
- International airfares
- Meals not listed in the itinerary
- Beverages not listed in the itinerary
- Optional tours and activities
- Porterage at airport and hotels
- Any service not specifically listed under "included"
- Travel insurance

OPTIONAL TOURS INCLUDE

- Polynesia Cultural Center
- Waialeale Premium Outlet
- Kualoa Ranch Hawaii ATV Adventure

HOW TO BOOK

- Contact Travel Focus Group on 1300 733 323 or 02 4234 1175 or office@travelfocusgroup.com to request a booking form and the complete Terms and Conditions
- Pay a \$300 per person deposit to secure your place. Balance due 17th May 2020