

19TH ANNUAL

Wa'a Kiakahi

JUNE 6-8, 2025



Wa'a Kiakahi is an event dedicated to the Hawaiian sailing canoe. The Hawaiian Sailing Canoe Association comes to Kā'anapali to share their mission "to revive, educate and practice the ancient Hawaiian skills and values as they relate to the Hawaiian sailing canoe and its culture."

Event Schedule



Friday, June 6

11:00 a.m.

Race start from Kahului Harbor. Crews race approximately 27 miles to Kā'anapali.

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Race completion at Outrigger Kā'anapali Beach Resort, Kā'anapali Beach.
Arrival of sailing canoes with a traditional Hawaiian welcome ceremony.
(Arrival time dependent on weather and sea conditions.)

Saturday, June 7

8 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Free sailing canoe rides for all ages (weather and sea conditions permitting),
"talk story" opportunities with race team members, and demonstrations,
all happening in front of Outrigger Kā'anapali Beach Resort.



Sunday, June 8

8:45 a.m.

A traditional Hawaiian farewell ceremony will take place followed by the race start from Kā'anapali Beach at 9:00 a.m.



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