NA Wahine 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Women's Retreat

Makapala, North Kohala

Big Island of Hawaii

February 28<sup>th</sup>, 29<sup>rd</sup>, & Mar. 1, 2020

Directions from the Kona Airport Highway 19 north to Kawaihae, Rt 270 through Hawi and Kapaau to Makalapala. Miles from the airport is 51.5 In Kapaau there is a statue of King Kamehameha on the right. The retreat center is 3.6 miles from the statue. The driveway is on the right directly across the street from Pololu Store.

Check in is Friday at 3:00pm. Check out is Sunday at noon.

No Camping. Bring your own bedding or sleeping bag, also towels and toiletries. Flashlight, mosquito repellant, jacket or sweater is suggested. If you decide to go hiking bring appropriate footwear. No Children or Pets please

Chair: Bria H. (808)-987-4850 Co-Chair: Ruthie P. (808)-283-5553 Registration: Cheri L. (541)-912-6313

#### NA WAHINE

is a group of recovering women who follow the principles of Narcotics Anonymous By applying the 12 Steps, the 12 Traditions, and the 12 Concepts of Service with Narcotics Anonymous we can continue to live clean & serene lifestyles.

WE DO THE FOLLOWING: Don't use no matter what. Go to a NA meeting. Ask your Higher Power to keep you clean today. Call your sponsor. Read NA literature. Talk to other recovering addicts. Work the twelve steps of Narcotics Anonymous.

We Do Recover! No addict seeking recovery need ever die without having a chance to find a better way of life. Registration Form: Total fee is \$80.00; fee covers meals, lodging, merchandise and other necessities.

#### Make checks payable to: Na Wahine

Mail to: Cheri Loewenthal C/O Na Wahine 77-6492 Akai St. Kailua-Kona, HI 96740

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We need to know as soon as possible whether vegetarian or not for meal planning please.

### Purpose

NA Wahine is an Autonomous group of women recovering in Narcotics Anonymous that meet annually to renew our Spiritual Connection.

## **Brief History**

One woman from Waimea spoke with another woman in Hilo about the lack of women having a venue or event for recovery. It was decided to have a retreat which began at Kalopa State Park in 2002.

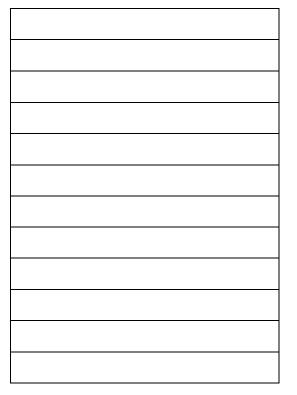
The idea for the name was chosen by the Waimea woman (NA Wahine) as a play on words for women in recovery. NA (The), Wahine (Woman), as NA is the acronym for Narcotics Anonymous.

The event went over so well that it was decided to become an annual event. It now meets annually in Makapala, North Kohala. The seed money was put up by 3 women from Hilo and the 1 from Waimea. "In keeping with the spirit of NAWS Bulletin 18 (special interest meetings) we continue to seed ourselves and donate to Region or Area as dictated by our group conscience."

Although the event is held annually on the Big Island of Hawai'i, service positions are not limited to that geographic area. Any woman, who meets the qualifications of the desired position and is able to carry out that duty may serve, once voted in. ©



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