

# DUKE'S Beach House

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ON NORTH BEACH IN KAA NAPALI, MAUI

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## **DUKE'S BEACH HOUSE SELECTS FIRST EDUCATOR OF THE MONTH**

KAANAPALI, MAUI - June 16, 2010 – DUKE'S BEACH HOUSE is proud to honor Mrs. Linda Matsui as the first recipient of its new Educator of the Month Program. Each month, DUKE'S BEACH HOUSE will select an educator who demonstrates dedication and commitment to Maui's students.

"DUKE'S BEACH HOUSE is excited to showcase extraordinary teachers through our Educator of the Month Program," said Shaughn Helliard, General Manager of DUKE'S BEACH HOUSE. "We're proud to recognize individuals like Mrs. Linda Matsui who lead by example and are making our island a better place to live."

Matsui was a first grade teacher at Princess Nahi`ena`ena Elementary school and was awarded the Educator of the Month on her very last day in the classroom, retiring after 38 years of teaching. She's willingly shared her teaching know-how and talents with others, often looked up to for her true passion for teaching, and has the ability to bring out the best in her students. Her number one priority is high student achievement and she challenges herself, as well as her students, to accomplish their goals through discipline, responsibility, and a "can do attitude."

Matsui was presented a \$100 gift certificate to DUKE'S BEACH HOUSE for receiving the award.

Overlooking the crystal waters of Ka`anapali North Beach on Maui, DUKE'S BEACH HOUSE offers guests an authentic Hawaiian dining experience and a glimpse into the life of the open-air restaurant's namesake, Duke Kahanamoku. Serving breakfast, lunch and dinner, menu offerings feature Hawaii influenced cuisine including seafood and steaks. For reservations or more information, call (808) 662-2900 or visit [dukesmaui.com](http://dukesmaui.com).

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**Photo Caption:** Mr. Kaipo Miller (left), Principal of Princess Nahi`ena`ena Elementary and KC Hendrickson (right), Marketing Manager at DUKE'S BEACH HOUSE, present Mrs. Linda Matsui with the Educator of the Month Award.

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**Responsibility**  
 I can take responsibility for my own learning.

**Cooperation**  
 I can understand that we all must work together.

**Complex Thinker**  
 I can demonstrate critical thinking and problem solving strategies.

**Quality Work**  
 I can recognize and produce quality products.

**Focus Listen Think Learn**

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Elies C-202  
 Kaya  
 Riley  
 J-mar  
 Reynaldo  
 Dasha  
 Breana

Murphy C-202  
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1. Raise your hand  
 2. Listen when others are speaking  
 3. Keep your desk clean  
 4. Do your work

**Consequences**  
 1. Warning  
 2. 2 yellow marks  
 3. 3 yellow marks  
 4. 1 red mark

**Rewards for**  
 1. Use of a...  
 2. Free time

**DUKE'S**  
 Linda Koyasu